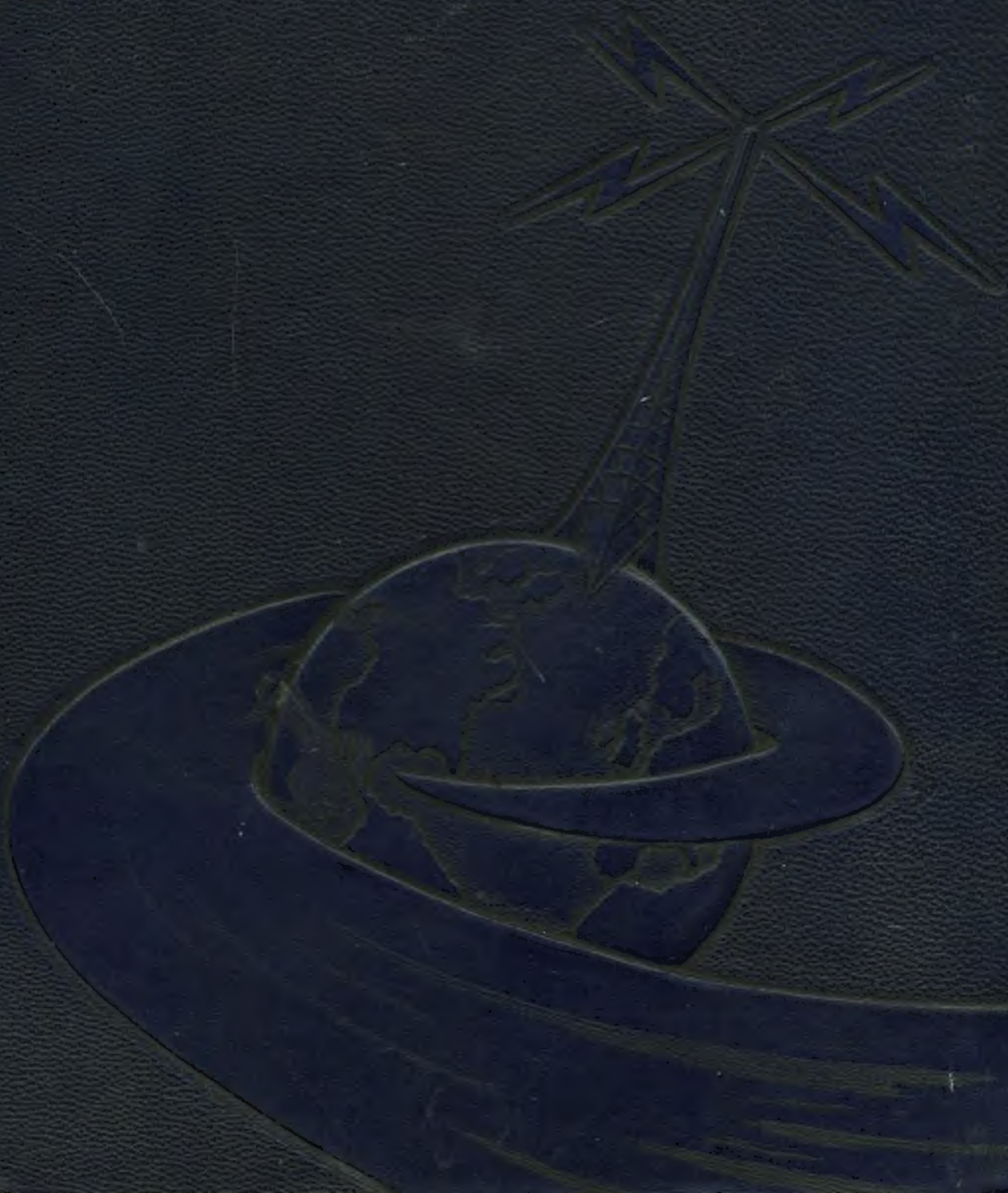


# The OAK 1944





messy

so really a swell  
ball player and guy  
some sharper

I have enjoyed  
plunging into you very  
much and hope you have  
the best of luck in everything  
[unclear]

Lots of luck  
to a swell guy  
Warthy Nell Moon  
Lots of luck  
Johnny [unclear]

all the luck  
in the world  
[unclear]

When  
I see everything  
flourishing around  
me you get  
when you get  
to be a great  
baseball pitcher  
catcher

I wish I could see you  
again next year but  
sister I can't beat of luck  
in everything always  
[unclear]

I am wishing  
you a lot of luck  
in the future

"Hall" W.C. Ballum

I wish you  
to be a great  
baseball pitcher  
catcher  
[unclear]

I wish a swell  
day  
[unclear]



Here's wishing a  
happy future to a  
swell guy

Lots of Luck  
J. Stone

James.

Clinton Herron

George Thacker

None is wishing  
plenty of luck to  
a swell baseball  
player  
Pee Wee

Good Luck and  
Best of wishes to  
a very swell guy

Arthur Jordan

Is a swell guy  
and best wishes  
you are a  
swell guy.

Best of Wishes to  
a old classmate  
Earl Richardson

Is a really  
swell guy.

Dorothy  
Grady,

Is one of my  
best pals  
Long

Best of luck to the  
swellest of guys. All  
never forget you and  
will be around.  
Good luck and all the  
best wishes.  
Richard Newton

Lots of luck  
old boy!

Bobby Kuhlme

Lots of Luck  
to a swell boy  
Big Bill

Best of Luck  
to a good student  
and ball player  
swell player  
Harold Mayfield  
June 1949

Feb bumper  
program on March  
you are our  
most



good  
luck and  
eat wishes,  
Elwin

to a nice guy  
and a swell athlete  
Alfred Blah

Best Luck Milman!  
Laurie Moore

Lots of love  
to a really swell  
goal Virginia Jones

Lots of luck  
Freddie  
Lorraine  
Lots of luck  
to a swell boy

Rhea Michael  
A mess of luck  
to a  
very nice person  
whom I thank is  
lots of love  
Daddy (M)

Best wishes to  
a swell pal  
Charles

Lots of luck  
to a swell  
guy  
Johnnie A Bradley

Dear Milman,  
You said you  
were smarter than  
me - well, you are!  
I hope that you  
have the best of luck  
because you are a  
swell fellow.

Love,  
Jackson  
Johnnie A Bradley



lots of luck  
 to you Wilbur  
 Harry Kniggs  
 all best  
 Asaballman wishes to a  
 baseball great.

Wilmer, I was  
 really glad to have  
 known you. I'd miss  
 seeing you around.  
 Jimmie  
 Knig

Wilmer  
 you're OK no  
 bull (X)

Keep the stickability  
 like you had in baseball  
 and you'll get by 10/11/12

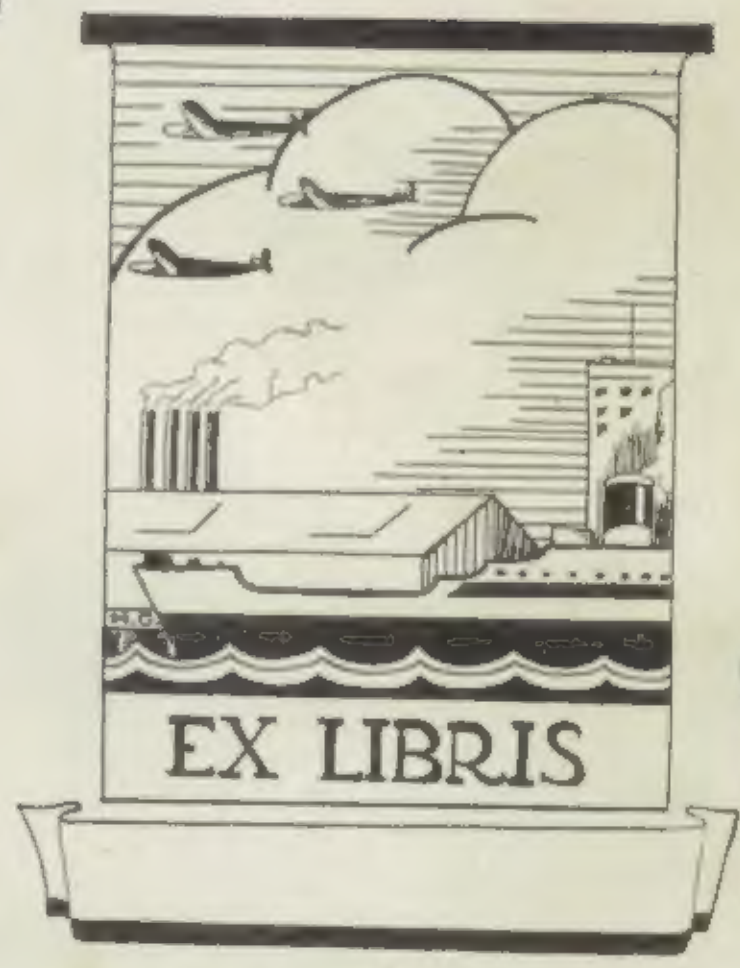
"Hyle"

Best of  
 luck and success  
 in the future.  
 I hope you  
 make a ball  
 player.

Babe

Locklear  
 Good luck  
 Dorothy Watkins

I really like you.  
 I think you are a  
 wonderful boy.  
 Love always,  
 Margaret



lots of luck  
 to a good boy; Davey  
 "Quack"

Best of Luck  
 John Crouch



Wishing  
 you the  
 best  
 of  
 luck  
 Bobby  
 I great joy  
 get you really  
 know that math  
 Luck to ya  
 Lloyd

I've never  
 had a good  
 luck wish  
 ever

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# W.H. ADAMSON HIGH SCHOOL

Willie -  
 I have enjoyed knowing you.  
 Best of everything.  
 Richard H. Norwood  
 Feb. 2:20



Do a basketball  
 player who really  
 tried hard.  
 Leon Alexander

# THE OAK

Best wishes  
 to a fine guy  
 Oscar Math

Wilmer,  
 Here I go  
 again. I go  
 I think you  
 swell. Quality  
 Love Always  
 Hank Stokes

To a really  
 swell guy and a  
 pitcher  
 - WCH

Best of  
 luck to a  
 swell guy  
 I have  
 lot of fun  
 with him

Presented

By

The Seniors

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Best of luck to a  
 very buddy  
 Be good  
 O Lovell

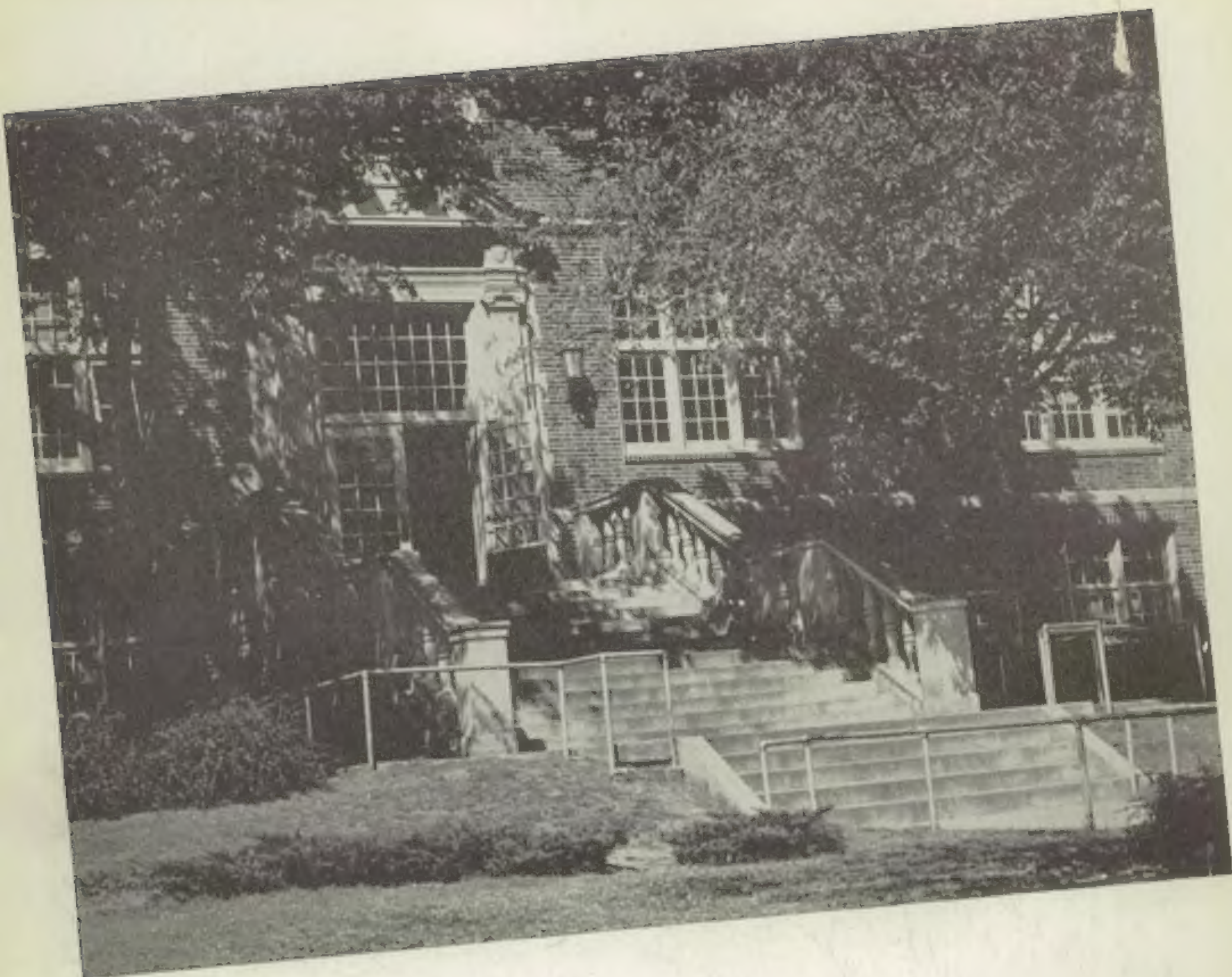
Here to  
 a very bright boy  
 Doc Bait

## 1944

To a swell  
 left hander  
 Jim  
 Don McMath

Wet Everett  
 Have luck to you  
 very much O.K.  
 O.K.





## ADAMSON HIGH SCHOOL

It is difficult to set a date for the beginning of Adamson High School. Perhaps her most exciting history began in 1901 when the city of Oak Cliff merged its fortunes and educational system with the City of Dallas. Mr. W. H. Adamson, then superintendent of the Oak Cliff Public Schools, became principal of Oak Cliff High School, a tree-shaded, dignified old red brick edifice on Tenth Street at Crawford. Rapid growth followed, and in 1915 — with considerable pride — the students and faculty began the fall term in a new building at the present location. By 1920, enlargement was necessary. Our lunch room, auditorium, and extensions on the north wings were constructed.

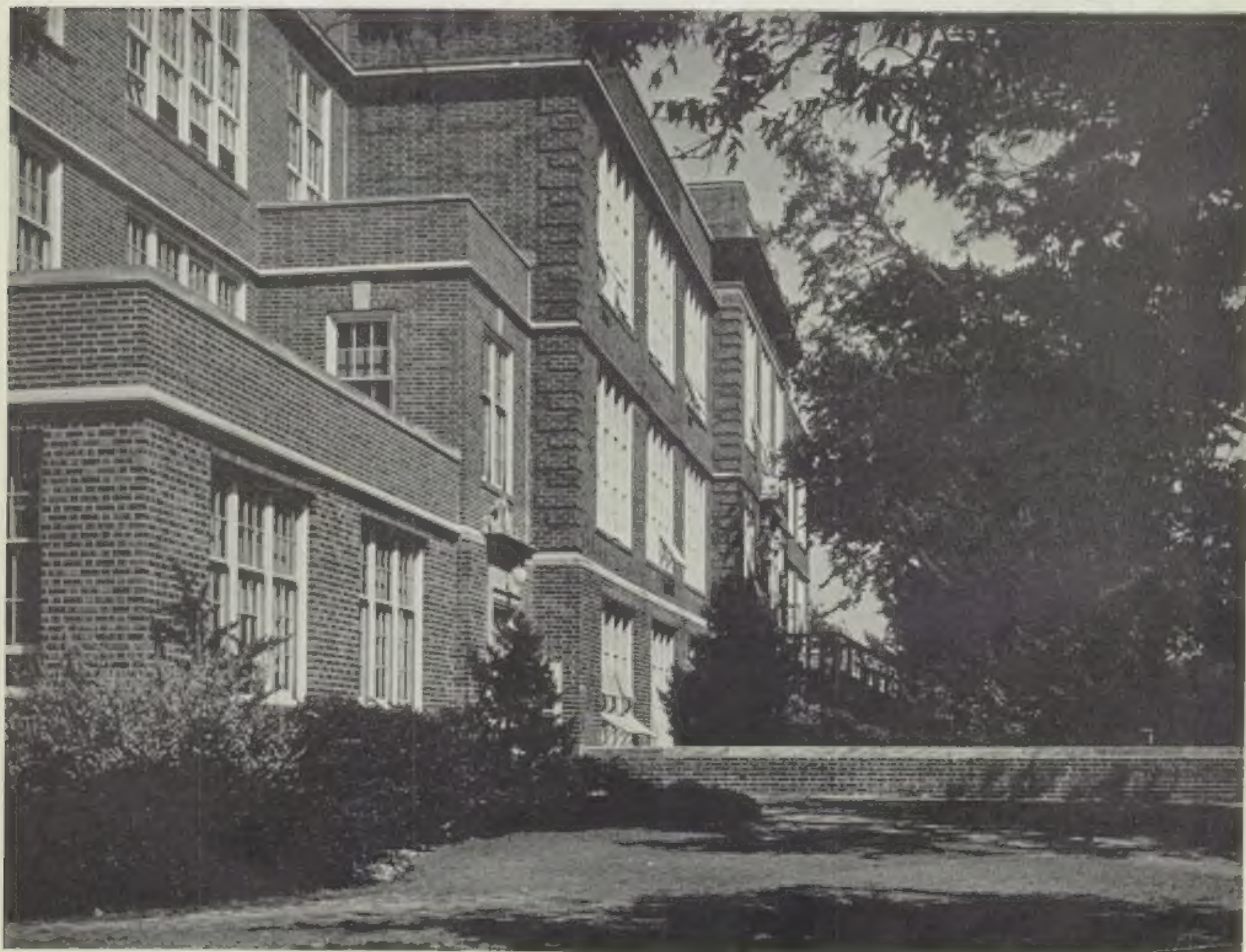


*Begin*  
*W. H. Adamson*  
In 1935, after thirty-six years of service, the greatly loved William Hardin Adamson died, and was succeeded by his friend and former coach, Mr. H. A. Allen. A short time later, in honor of Mr. Adamson, Oak Cliff High School became W. H. Adamson High School.

The growing pains suffered for many years recurred in 1939. New wings were added on the east and west, and the facade was rebuilt.

In 1944, Adamson's reputation is wide. Her ex-students and ex-faculty members are rendering service all over the world. Her beloved halls are paced by restless, eager feet. Surely she will continue for long years as a gleaming symbol of those characteristics bequeathed to her by the man whose name she bears—friendship, loyalty, honest, endeavour.

*These pictures were made by Sergeant Marvin G. Degenhart of the United States Marines. A 1942 graduate of Adamson, Sergeant Degenhart is now serving as an aerial photographer somewhere in the Pacific theatre of war.*





Lots of Luck It was  
sure knowing you  
it really was  
Goudy Giller



## FOREWORD

Not only the lessons learned from textbooks, but the friendships and activities of our high school days will live in our memory forever.

To make these memories more vivid and to help us maintain our youthful democratic ideals, we, the Senior Class, present this, the 1944 edition of

*The Oak*






*Histories are as perfect as the Historian is wise and is gifted  
with an eye and a soul*

—Thomas Carlyle.

In appreciation of her wise counsel, her rare gift of imparting knowledge, her comprehension of our country and its relation to the world, the Senior Class lovingly dedicates this, the thirty-second volume of the Oak, to "the noblest Roman of them all,"

MISS ALBERTA COOPER





*They gave their merry youth away  
For country and for God"*

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Marvin Beiseker  
Gene Campbell  
Robert Carlisle  
G. W. Chandler  
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Howard Dailey  
Joe Foley  
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The students of Adamson stand reverently before this noble example of faithfulness to duty. Our grief at their sacrifice is exceeded only by our pride in their achievement.

To their families and friends, we offer this consoling thought:

*"To live in hearts we leave behind,  
Is not to die."*



To the hundreds of our ex-students still in the service of our country we pledge everlasting gratitude. We shall strive in every deed to attain the high standards of devotion and courage which they have set before us, hoping that their example will truly lead us into a world of peace and security. To them and their loved ones we offer these words of encouragement:

*"The Old Commandments stand*

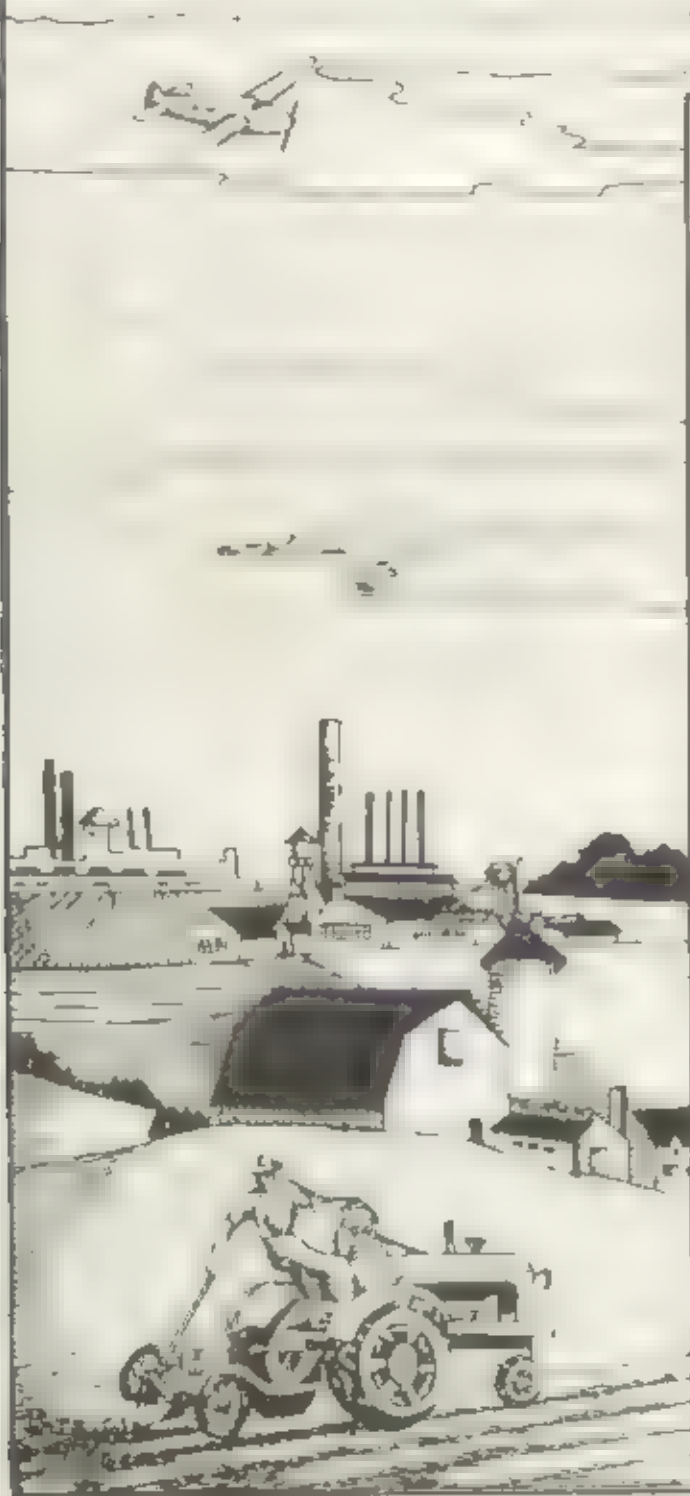
*'In patience keep your heart,  
In strength lift up your hand.'*

*No easy hope or lies  
Shall bring us to our goal,  
But iron sacrifice  
Of body, will, and soul."*





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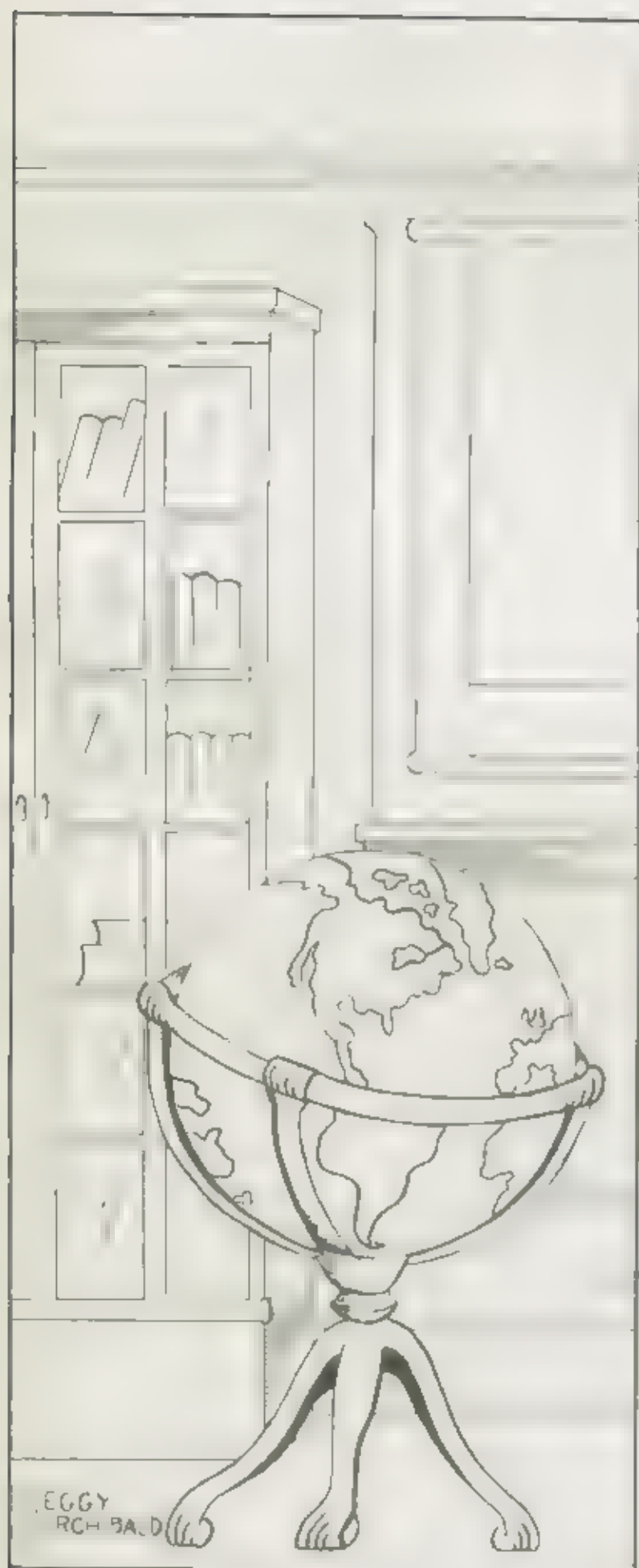
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*Howard A. Allen*

## HOWARD A. ALLEN

A man of high ideals—a principal who believes in friendly cooperation—a leader who is assisting us to step into tomorrow, not only as citizens of our country but as citizens of our world.

To him—our gratitude.



# OUR HISTORY TEACHERS

Through them we see governments and peoples of the United Nations, working together to achieve a civilization to be dominated by cooperation. As they teach us, we understand and evaluate the past and present, thus preparing for a future world of freedom, equality, and peace.



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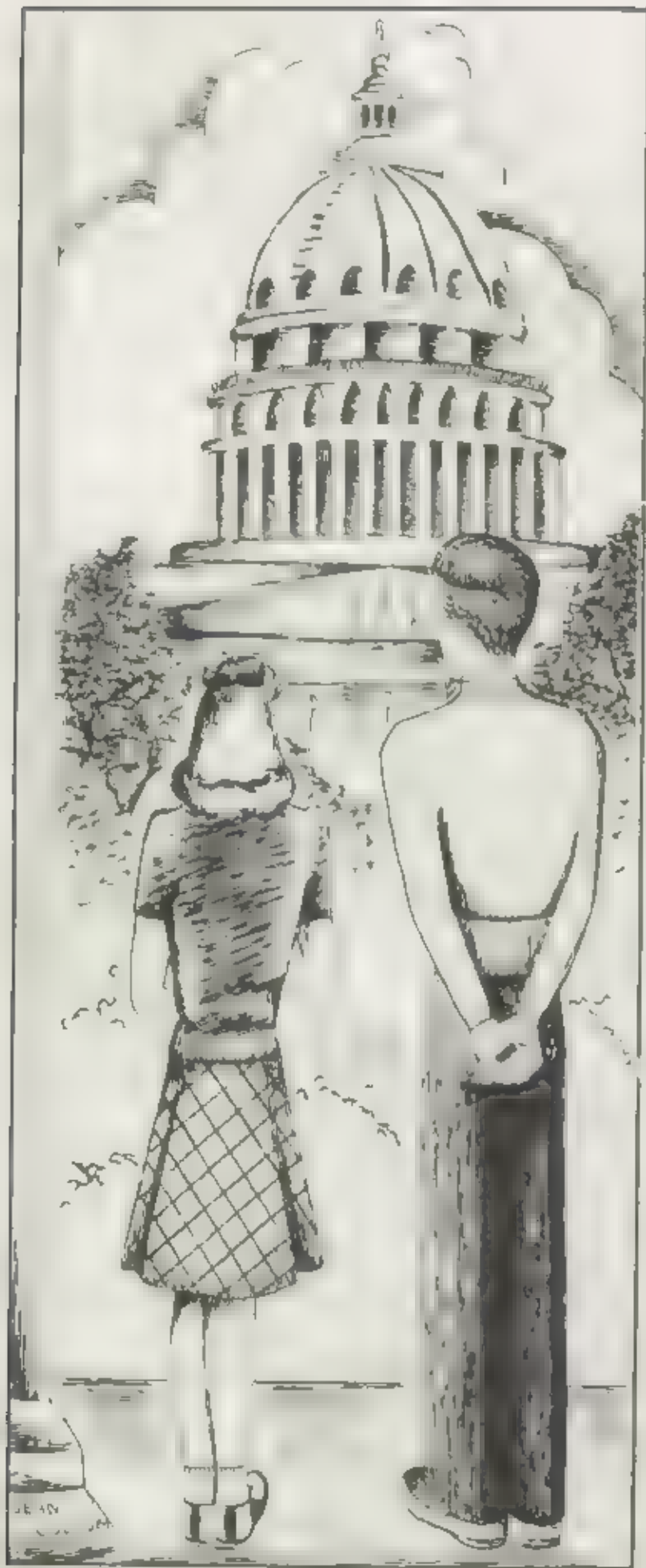
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SENIORS



## JANUARY CLASS

This class, though small in number, has contributed largely to school affairs. Intensely influenced by the war, this group worked a little more seriously and played a little bit harder. Members of the armed forces received their diplomas with their few classmates. They ranked high in scholarship, military, and social activities.



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all names



Jennie Dunge



Geo E. Hammond



all names



Eulah White



Edna Williams



Catherine Williamson



all names



Joe Young



John Young



Anna Bern Ziegler



# JUNE CLASS

Hurrah! We have reached another milestone! Senior Day, Senior Week, Graduation. We have had fun and now we have the honor we've worked four years to obtain. Our class has always been large, but we've been welded together by a spirit that has made us leaders in Adamson school life. We will meet you again, some time, somewhere.



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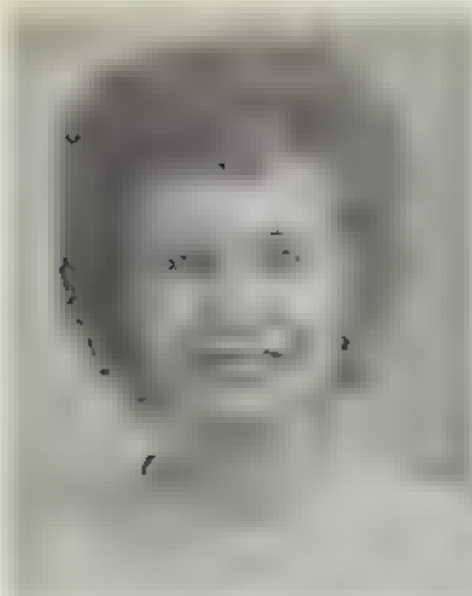
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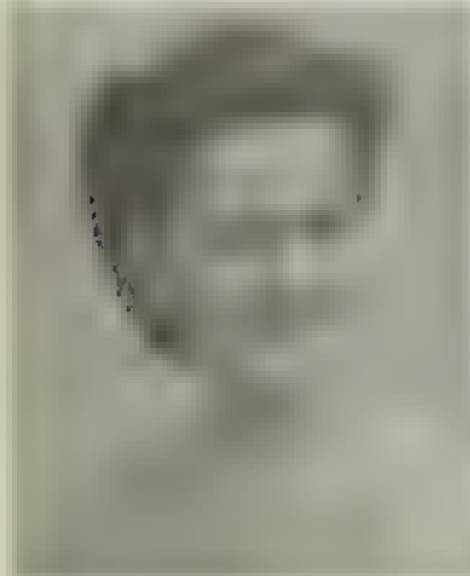
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Lorne Woodmansee



Pauline Gray



Helen



Paul Younger

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# HAPPY DAYS

Do You Know Them?



# UNDERCLASSES



# JUNIORS

All the junior high and elementary schools of Oak Cliff have contributed to our membership. We boast of having many important school leaders. We have played a great deal but we have worked steadily to reach our goal. As next year's graduates, we hope to contribute much to the vitality of Adamson.



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 Fourth Row: Eugene Monroe, Leon Alexander, Charles Bice, Thomas Moroney, Lawrence Jones, Bill Gribble, Lawrence Spray, John Crouch, Gerald Capps, Billy Dodson, Ernest Chidress, Homer Lawson.

# JUNIORS

JUNE 1945

Members of this class have been found in every home-front endeavor. We have taken an active interest in school life. Many of us have distinguished ourselves by making high scholastic records. We have combined fun and serious purpose. With enthusiasm, we approach our Senior year.



## OFFICERS

Preston Day	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring Vice President
Marjorie Dansby	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring Secretary
Bob Robnette	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall President

## NOT SHOWN

Bernard Schramm	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring President
Ruth Rimmer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall Secretary





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First Row J. R. Tucker, Maurice Wallace, Bobby Ramsey, Hubert B. Benson, L. C. Jones, Pat. Malone, He. She. Luntow, Ralph Coston, Al. od. Perkins, Thomas Murphy, Bernice Akin.  
 Second Row Roy Flowers, Kathryn Slade, Pauline Trautt, Jean Harbuck, Louise Cannon, Betty McAdams, Ineta Bolding, Carolyn Lowrey, Rose Marie Buckenholdt, Thelma King, Jeanette Taylor, Dorothy Jean Berlin, Narmagene Brooks, Dorothy Hawkins, Louise Clark, Wanda Jean Stanley, Shirley Sanders.  
 Third Row Raymond Garlock, M. J. Cox, May Fairy, S. J. O. Over, Frances Allen, G. R. Russell, Helen D. n, Majorie Dansby, Joan Shuford, Frances Merwin, Betty Joyce Burks, Patsy Carter, Joy Lee Jones, Barbara Daniels, Frances Dendy, Mary Samford, Johnnie Van Kirk, W. A. Cauch.  
 Fourth Row D. L. Linton, Charles Rogers, Edw. J. Fong, Bobby Westmoreland, Bot. F. J. B. Rowe, K. J. Parsons, J. W. Miller, Richard Long, Ray Milton, Rina Nichols, Bob Mack, Charles Knight, Lee Seater, Hubert Penn.



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First Row Ralph Tucker, Forest Davis, L. M. Patterson, Leon Turner, Carl Hunter, Billy L. Louch, Kenneth Cason, Ray Reynolds, Morris Ragsdale, Aubrey Pate, Fred Schultz, Jackie Hedge.  
 Second Row Edna Lloyd, R. J. Lowe, Dorothy Robertson, Doris Webb, Eva Lott, Shirley Covenager, Wanda Richardson, Peggy Strawn, Nadine H. x, Evelyn Maddux, Mary Carbone, Martha Carbone, Norma Guyner, Normadene Ford, Mary Beth Carrico, Martha Cliff, De Lois Loomis.  
 Third Row Travis Armstrong, Billy Thompson, Shirley L. Lope, Bettie Clara Yates, Janice Tapp, Norma Milton, G. J. Ann Adams, Mary Ann Britt, Ruth Rimmer, Eloise Tanner, Betty Lou Berry, O. J. L. n, Betty Sue Sreen, J. A. Aycark, Wanda Shaw, Frances Emmings, Mary Etta Sheppard, Jo Nell W. sch, Royce Armstrong.  
 Fourth Row Clinton Montgomery, Frank Taylor, Donald Haaten, Donald Homerstad, Claude Berry, Clyde Case, Bob Robnett, L. ndy Chandler, Frank Tucke, Bobby Dan Taylor, Fred Stringer, George La Trelle, Billy Dee Jolly, Bob Young.



#### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: Ralph Brumby, Billy Mack, Wendle, James Cadenhead, Bobby Hill, B. Morris, Thomas G. R. H. C. Kidd, Rex Epps, Bob McGowan, Kenneth Lalime, James Hamilton, Bill Miller.  
 Second Row: Thelma Goodwyn, Elizabeth Howell, O. Marie Hand, Marie Bixens, Peggy Morris, Dolores Anderson, Joann Holman, Jane Sanford, Velma Hanks, Clara Belle English, Rosa Lee Taylor, Ruby Culver, Carolyn Evans, Marilyn Reed, Betty Joyce McGuinness, Mary Katherine Eaton, Mary Helen Hows.  
 Third Row: Wilton Overton, Arthur M. S. A. M. Morgan, Betty Morgan, Dixie Lee, B. K. Morgan, Craig, Anna A. Ainsley, P. S. Savinson, Maxine Caraway, Joanne Stefucky, Clara Lovetess, Shirley Wolff, Dolores Clark, Mildred Poston, Wanda Davis, Evelyn Bennett, Doris Mathews, Eddie Blount.  
 Fourth Row: B. K. How, P. S. Savinson, Maxine Caraway, G. Bessie, Milton Bates, Gerald Powers, Louis Moore, David Bunker, Ralph Thurman, Tom McMullen, Keith Davis, Preston Day, Joe Pike, Bernhard Schramm.



#### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: Joyce Miller, Patsy Atkinson, Elizabeth Little, Markie Funderback, Virginia Page, Marceline McNeill, Mildred Williams, Rebecca Cayce, Joyce Throckmorton, Irene Douglas, Wanda Robertson, Ruth McCaffrey, Jean Long, Peggy Thomas, Ada Jo Adams.  
 Second Row: Julia Stamps, Bobbie Herring, Corinne Marten, Betty Harris, Alecia Faye Caskey, Eloise Corbett, Ima Jeanne Spain, Patsy Edmondson, Billie Sherman, Virginia Hudson, Frances Balch, Jean Nater, Terry Ann Baker, Barbara Allen, Kathryn Boyls, Bobbie Leatherwood, Eleanor Hulson.  
 Third Row: Jerry, Maude, Harold Whitfield, Billy Van and nham, Leslie McDonald, James Hosler, Joe M. Taylor, Edward Elrod, Harold Kassen, Elmer Elkins, Charles Locklear, Gerald Sutton, Billy Brister, Raymond L. Grace.



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Margaret Mayes, John Wilson, Elizabeth Welch, Mary Culbert, Dorothy Sharp, Edsel Jennings, John Watson, Dorothy Olson, Carmen Wickertson, Eugene Allen,  
 Pauline Honey, Jean Dougherty, Zelda Fitzgerald  
 Second Row Bill Brown, Jack Wilson, Bob Marshall, John Ingam, John Standley, Jack Hall, James Stacey, Robert Ferris, Mary Watson, Roy Myford

SPRING RAIN

I hear the rain, the lovely falling rain,  
 As gently from the sky it hastens down;  
 It fills the air with splashy liquid bound  
 And softly taps upon the window pane;  
 There is no highway, road, or sleeping path,  
 No flower or bush, or waving willow tall,  
 No bird that loves to take a soothing bath,  
 But is refreshed—to all new life doth call.  
 O, is there benediction in this guise?  
 Why vanish now our wintry frown and tear?  
 The silvery rain descending from the skies  
 Could not alone dispel our every fear  
 And give us hope beyond our hours of pain—  
 'Tis clear enough: God speaks to us in rain.  
 —Jackie Cline.



# SOPHOMORES

JANUARY 1946

Our class passed through that in between stage this year. We were neither on the top or the bottom. An awkward age? Perhaps, but we managed nicely, thank you, and next year when we take up our duties as 3-A's just watch us go places!



## OFFICERS

Marialyce Knisley	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring Vice President
Margaret Thompson	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall Secretary
Jane McKnight	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall Vice President
Joan Dorsey	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring Secretary, Fall President
James Fogleman	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring President



# SOPHOMORES

JUNE 1946

By the beginning of our second year at Adamson the newness of high school has begun to wear off. We settled down to hard (?) work and took a more active interest in school affairs. Where things are happening you'll find our class. We are going to make next year better than ever!



## OFFICERS

Bill Cook	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring Vice President
Betty Griffis	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring, Fall Secretary
Milton Elms	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall Vice President
La Tayne McClure	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring, Fall President





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First Row Carson Allen, Lester Hiebert, Tommy Blissett, Glenn Henderson, Roy Dean Richards, Bobby Cadenhead, Jimmie Scott, Sam Hodges, Donald Hillin, Bill Spore,  
Jerry Schofield, Billy Wade, Buddy Nix  
Second Row Marie Bennett, Nita Jean Salter, Juanita Teal, Jacqueline Skeeter, Jean Stewart, Mary Stovall, Yvonne Polnack, Mary Streety, Madelle Hale, Je Anna Robertson,  
Connie Wider, Christine Calvin, Dorothy Bullard, Dorothy Hill, Dorothea Kiltzaworth, Joan Tatem, Betty Craig  
Third Row Gene Smoot, Vera Campbell, Elaine Holden, Anita Thompson, Marjorie McNeill, Imogene Nobles, Betty Surratt, Peggy Still, Dorothy Bullard, Martha Jo Smith,  
Edna Ruckelshaus, Thelma P. Decker, A. J. ... ..  
Fourth Row Jack ... .. Tommy M ... .. Roy W ... .. Jimmy ... .. Billy Holland, Joe ... Parvajal, James Estes, Harry  
Helsley, J. E. Bonks, James Barker, Jimmy Napp



Row: Milton Elm, Charles Ingman, Thomas Cook, Kenneth Walker, Harold and Anas North, London Parker, Moses M. and Jimmy McCormack, Richard Howard.  
Jesse Grayson, Homer Jennings, Edwin McMacikin.  
Second Row: Bobbie Jeanne Reeves, Joan Epps, Maxine Bulla, Katherine Wallace, Ruth Mohr, Tina Whitfield, Melva Williams, Ota Mae Parish, Betty Grace Leatherwood.  
Glenna Greer, Evelyn Collier, Jay Lee Connors, Dorothy, Sarah Berry, Catherine, Barbara Conner, La Vina Jones, Jimmie F. and Joanne Russell.  
Third Row: Mary Helen Love, Mary Ann Miller, Peggy Laman, Dora Robinson, Cora Stange, Kathryn B. and John C. Sue Hahn, Jean Davis, June Sunda.  
Fourth Row: Raymond Harrison, Fredrick Goode, Roy Yeager, Arvin Lulbritt, Frank Alexander, B. Sullivan, E. Cook, C. D. Peterson, Edwin Roberts, James Harrison.  
Alfred Slater, Alfred Pomeroy, Neal Mays, Gladden Sedberry, Jimmy Sellers.





First Row Bert Lopley, Glen Flowers, Don Haydon, Charles Brant, Roy Smith, William Allen, Frank Evans, Floyd Ewton, Jack Roberts, Ernest Malone, A. W. Crisp  
 Second Row Kathleen Bryant, Bobby Jo Bulard, Barbara Ann O'Brien, Mildred Conner, Jeannine Adcock, Nancy Paden, Alta Trault, Jo Ann Bowles, Norma Arthur, Martha  
 Duncan, Nancy Pugh, La N. S. R. Vaughn, Anna Mae McLean Adams, Betty Gandy, Hope Hamilton, Kathryn Bivens, Betty Jo Keen  
 Third Row Hazel Childs, Dorothy Kennamer, Vera Bayle, June Reynolds, Norma Dunn, Marvanel Traylor, Mildred Woodard, Wanda Bowdon, Betty Mar  
 Nell Doughton, Mary Kathleen Graves, Jessie Kellum, Dorothy Jones, Marilee Floyd, Marjorie Decker, Louie Green, Jessie Coppedge, Winona Walker, Alice  
 Fourth Row Parks, Lloyd Kerr, Robert Mu vaney, Bobby McCree, Charles Kerr, Bobby Black, Charles

### TO ALPHEUS

When God from his celestial throne did throw  
 The golden sun from off his forge divine,  
 A drop of molten metal did incline  
 Through tenuous space to our own earth below,  
 Where, through rivers of Cathay, did flow  
 To me this gift from Heaven. Thou are mine,  
 Oh onyx eyed, enrobed with gilt lace fine.  
 My heart doth quake for thy life's fragile glow.

In thee I see pure faith in Him above,  
 A perfect sense of heav'nly harmony,  
 Obedient, joyful for thy Maker's sake.  
 If only Man would find this humble love  
 He could forever dwell in peace, like thee,  
 My tiny gold-fish, in thy silv'ry lake.

—James Alfred Hitt.



# FRESHMEN

JANUARY 1947

This fall we were on the second rung of our ladder to success in Adamson. It took a bit of effort and determination to get off that bottom step and safely to our present position, but now that we've made that, we're facing the rest of the climb with confidence.



## OFFICERS

Shirley Merritt  
Patsy Drake  
Jeanett Clement

Spring Vice President  
Spring President  
Spring Secretary

## NOT SHOWN

Anita Lipson  
James Blaire

Fall Secretary  
Fall President



# FRESHMEN

JUNE 1947

During the first part of our journey through Adamson, we have found that a l is not smooth sailing, but with an able captain and a sturdy pilot we have weathered the storms. We are enjoying the pleasure of being high school students and will continue to meet the challenge of "full steam ahead."



## OFFICERS

Joan Gowdy	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall Secretary, Spring President
Bill Self	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Spring Vice President
Paula Sheffer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall Vice President
Barbara Brown	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Fall President





LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Jimmy Wilson, Wiley Baker, Gene Hays, John Phelps, Wanda Briggs, Bill Patton, Jimmy Lettwin, Edgar Durham, Grover Hubbard, Billy Bruce, Ewell Cason, Ralph Coleman, Richard Candy, Jack Talbot, L. W. Bryant, Walter Korr, Tray Lollar  
 Second Row Betty McHenry, Dorothy Schramm, Mary Louise, Mary Brink, Alice Ann Smith, Anna Lewan, Mary Ann, June Williams, Jeanette Patty, Mary Lou Strubbe, Beth Johnson, Evelyn Wyatt, Dorothy Schramm, Shirley Colvin, Billie James, Tommie Jo Bell, Edna Earle Wilson  
 Third Row Pat Patterson, Kathleen Hill, Mary Moore, Wanda Brink, Kathryn Gordon, Mary Ann, Betty, Lillian Allen, Patricia Reynolds, Nellie Smith, Billy Prestidge, Norma Walker, Jimmie Lou Daugherty, Dorothy Keris, Ellen Pruett, Mildred Hogg, Amy Lewis, Ann Haynie, Joanne Gowdy, Kathleen Walker, Jane Julian, Pat Mosely  
 Fourth Row Daney, Richard Walker, Gene Inghet, Charles Alexander, Tommy Bacon, Frank Tennant, Douglas Guter, G. P. Prickett, George Shank, John Mullendore, Philip Beck, Bob Duff, Harry Bates, Robert Hefner



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Joe Cagle, Billy Fagan, Ned, Nathaniel, Billy Shaw, Harvey Hudson, Mamen Davenport, Bill Jones, Billy Stannings, Billy Stokes, Joe Park, Alfred Moore, Bill Carpenter, Joe Ezell, Kenneth Lawson.  
 Second Row Betty Osborn, Elaine McCuskey, Melba Dean Harrison, Mary Elizabeth Hamie, Sue Ellen Harrison, Edith Ingram, Dorothy Pace, Mary Ann Ral, Wile Jo Featherston, Pat Allen, Ruby Ann Walsh, Joan Haynie, Jean Stokes, Jaye Gads, Sybil Ziegler, Jane E. Jones, Patricia Hendrix, Pat Pison.  
 Third Row James M. Hays, Emma Egan, Mikee Hays, Ewanda Durham, Maggie Gotsch, Lois Sikes, Patsy Pomes, Lillian Hudson, Mary Edith Ewing, Grace Cammichee, Lila Lee, Anna Moore, Norma Ribbens, Beverly Emma, Jean Martin, Cora Foe Puisse, Louise Hawkins, James Rouse, Robert Greenlee, Jayme Le Bow.  
 Fourth Row Benny Hays, Chas. Joe, Roy Smith, Ray H. Hingsworth, Ray Johnson, B. Sparks, Johnny Ols, Charles Hall, Clyde Johnson, Billy Earl Smith, Arthur Layhe, Sammy Pogue, R. H. D. Moore, Ray Buchanan, Charles Moran.



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First Row La Verne Rose, Barbara Ann Brown, Thomas Perkins, Clifford McCoghren, Billy Edward Bridgman, Wilbur Sanford, Layne Clark, David Ghelton, J. W. Nait, De Witt Sturdivant, George Cunyus, Donald Roston, Gilbert Giger, Elzie Braxwell, Nancy Bray  
 Second Row Earl King, Joan Lawson, Bennie Chambers, Paula Sheffer, Belle Joyce Colclaster, Jo Ann Richardson, Thelma Weir, Evelyn Kennedy, Joan Gregory, Phyllis Clark, Annie Joe Guynes, Jo Monkress, Wretha Husk, Betty Miller, Ellen Haley, Norma Wilcox, La Verne Boyd, Robert Mason.  
 Third Row Kaleb Allen, Bobbie Jean Waller, Zella Maxwell, Wanda Taliaferro, Gene Branam, Patsy Russell, Virgie Dawson, Freda South, Rosemary Archer, Barbara Ferguson, Charlene Carnehls, Annette Collier, Nelda Fokes, Annetta Maberry, Vaudeen Reed, Joy Hearne, Joyce Lee, Chloe Ann Stone, Margaret Verhyden, Anna Marie White, Mary Lou Adams, Darles Holmes, Mary Korbow  
 Fourth Row Annabel Locke, Bennie Sequin, Sydney Smart, Donald Clark, Bert Simmons, Edward Hall, Maurice Tennell, Archie Simmons, Clifton Clark, Jack Fulbright, Wanda Elrod, George Norcross, Bobby Joe Hardin, Merle King, Arnold Gregory, Billy Fiorenzo

#### ENCHANTED NIGHT

Oh Night, thou art a fair enchanted queen  
 Who wears the crescent moon for royal crown;  
 Who covers sky and earth with silver sheen  
 And sends the painful moonbeams drifting down.

The royal robe is soft, black velvet shade  
 It's strewn with stars, which are thy precious gems.  
 Thy minstrel nightly sings within the glade  
 To praise thy beauty fair with joyful hymns.

Thy pathway's lighted with the pale starlight,  
 'Tis scattered over earth and sky and sea.  
 Thy fairy courtiers are the fireflies bright,  
 They dart and dance all night with motion free.

No earthly queen has beauty quite so rare  
 As thee, sweet Night, so stately and so fair.

—Jamie Caldwell.



**FAVORITES**





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EDWARD J. HARRIS  
HARRIS, EDWARD J.

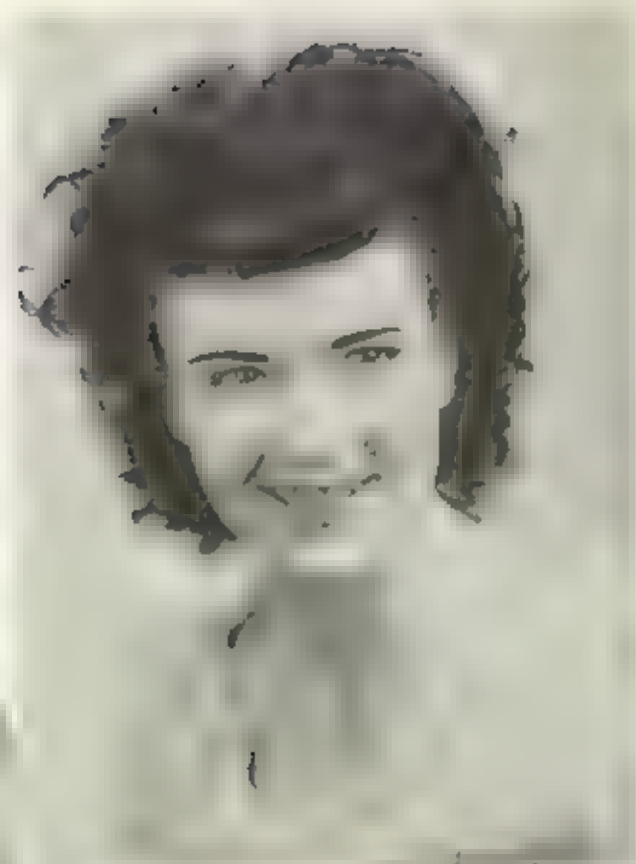


Peggy Lonance  
Favorite Underclass Girl





Laurence Jones  
Favorite Underclass Boy



## Favorite Underclass Girls

Top to bottom

BARBARA DANIELS

PAT ALLEN

CLEO NELSON

BETTY MARTIN

BETTY BAKER





## Favorite Underclass Boys

*Top to bottom*

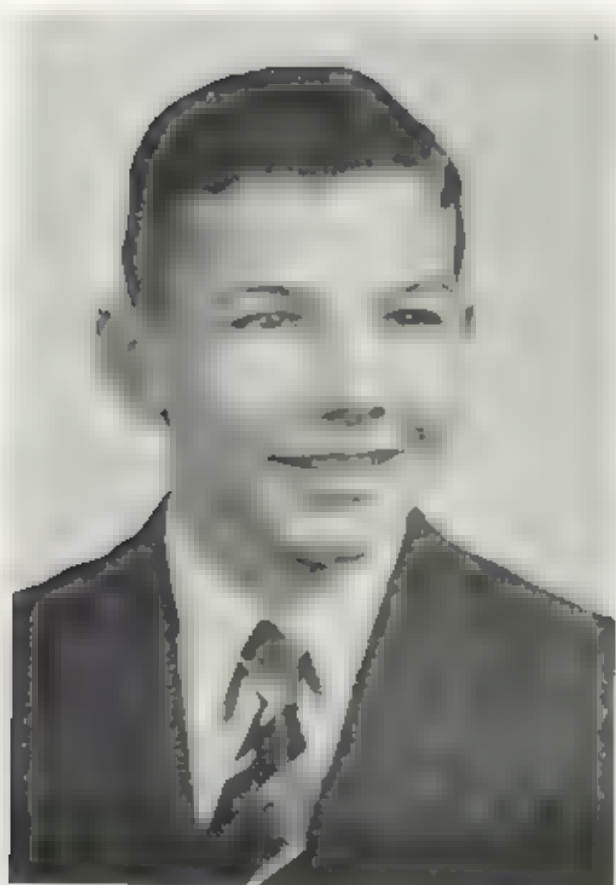
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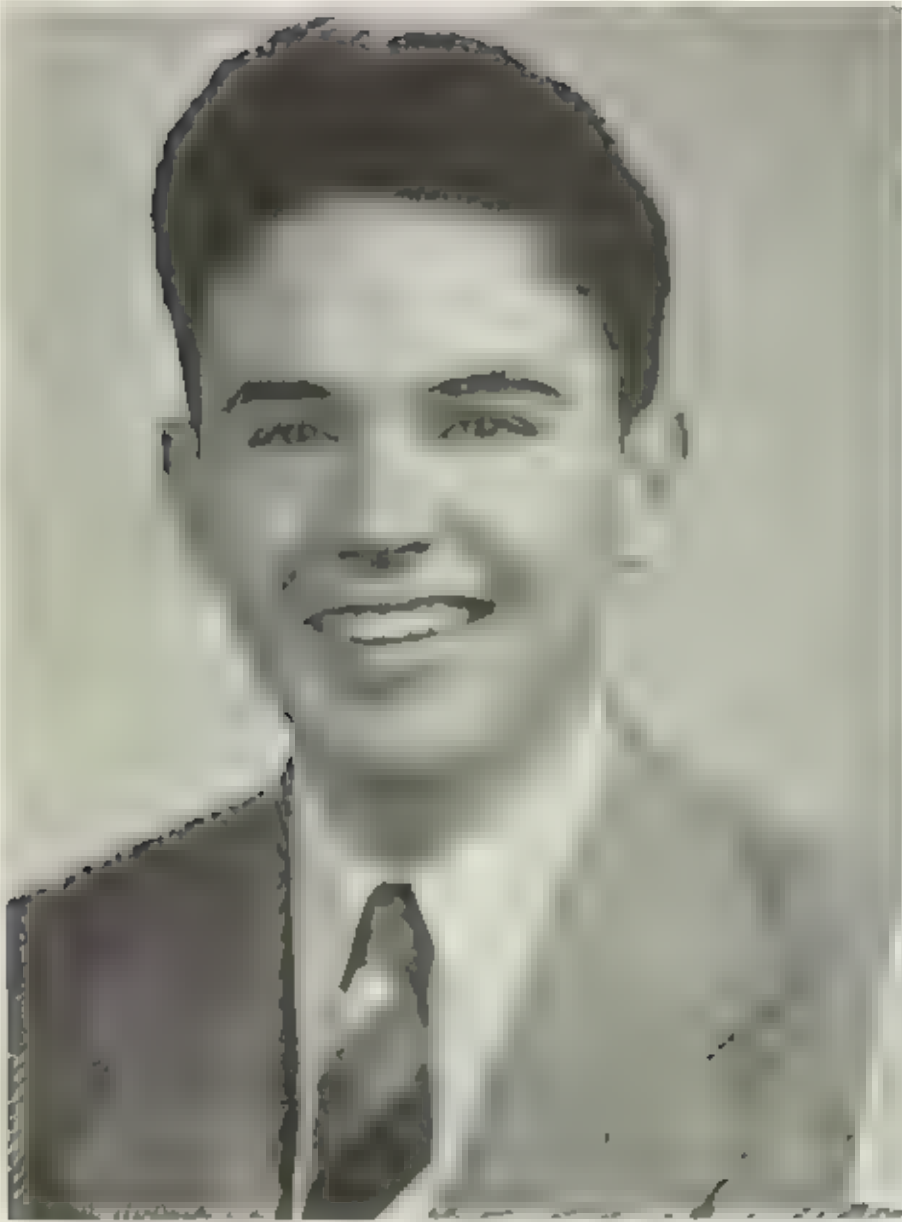
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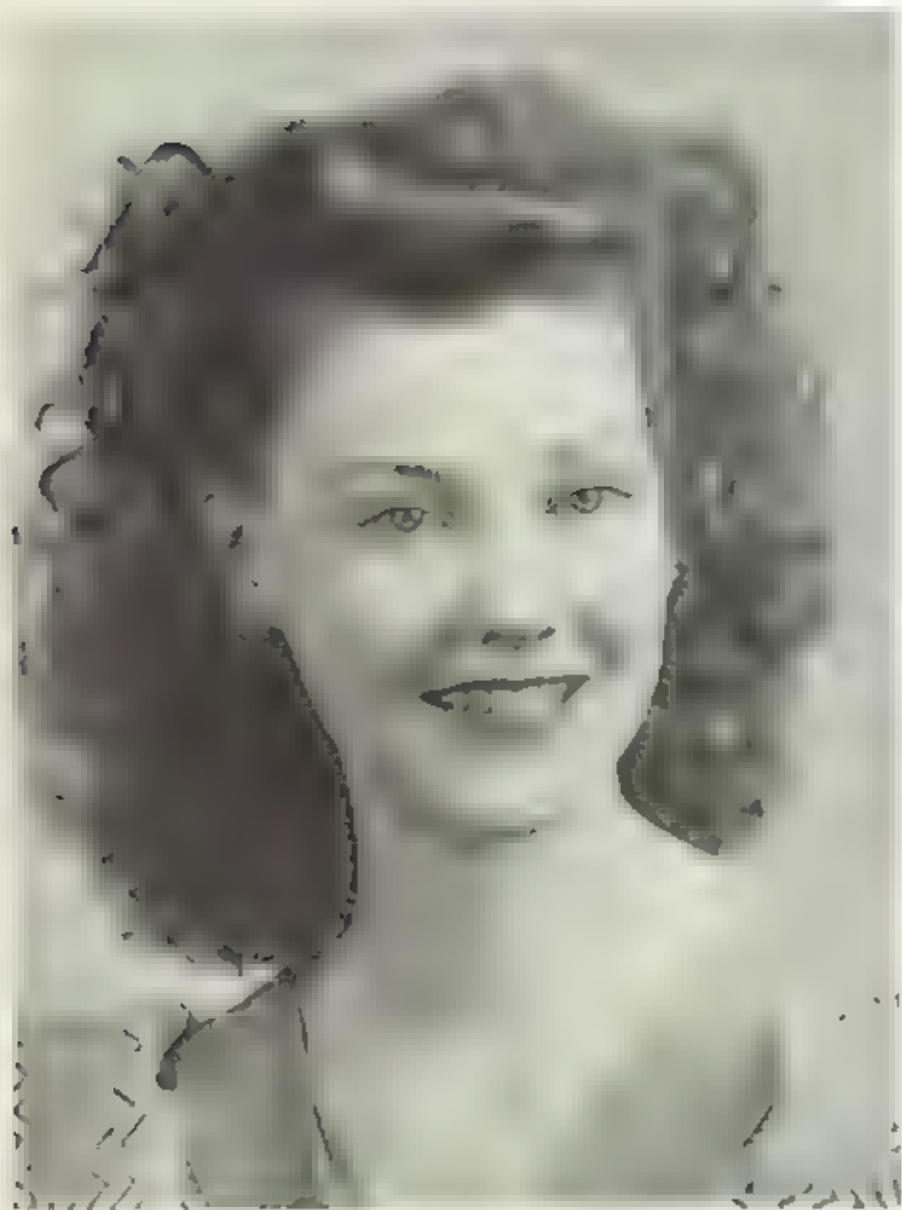
## Senior Nominees



TOM HARPER  
Handsome Boy of the January Class



PEGGY RENDER  
Favorite Girl of the June Class



AILEEN SULLIVAN  
Most Beautiful Girl in the January Class

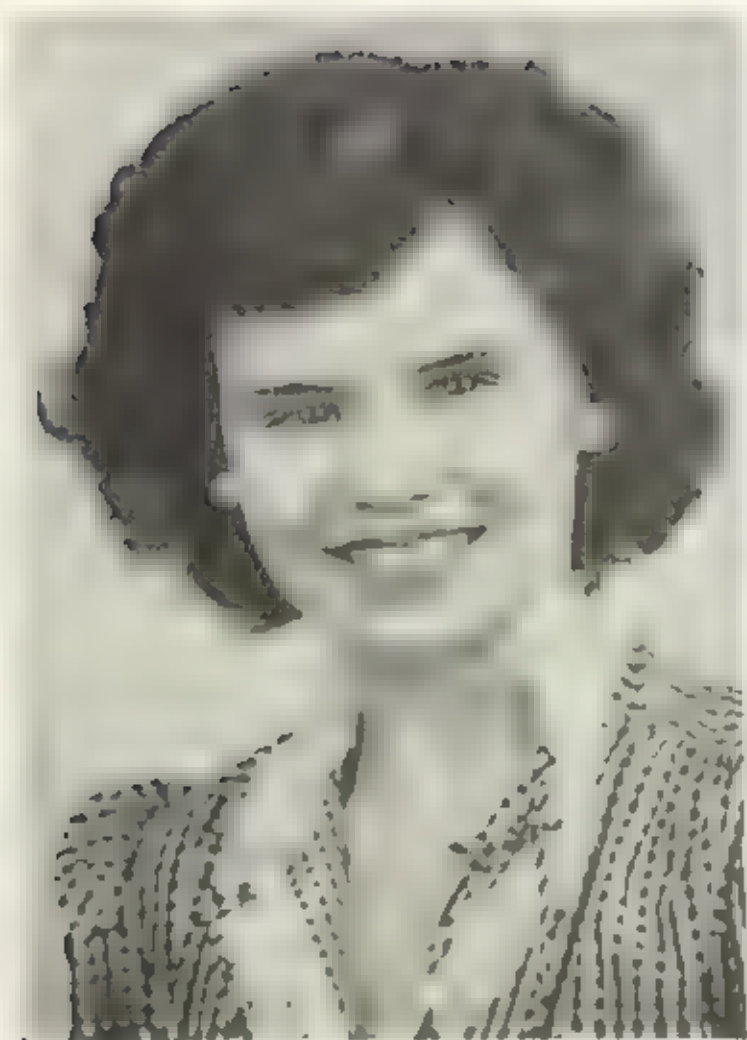
*Johnny Young*



JOHN YOUNG  
Favorite Boy of the January Class



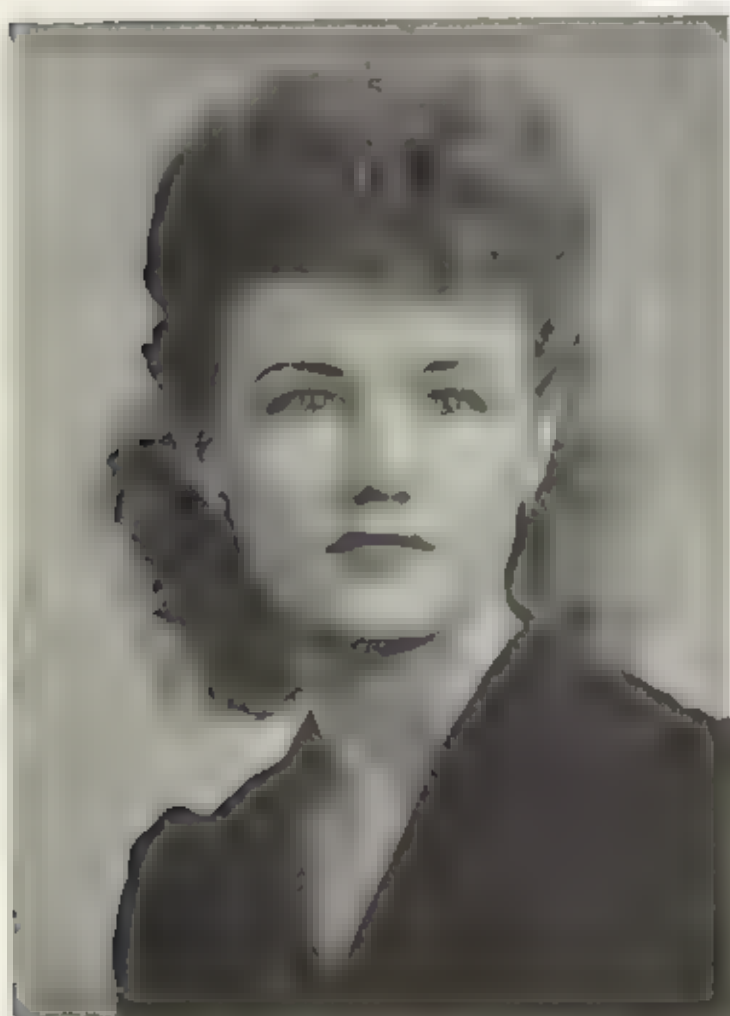
**WHO'S WHO**



BETTY LOU HIX



BETTY NEAL



PAT KELLY



JAMES ALFRED HITT

Who's who in scholarship? Adamson answers this question for 1943 and 1944 in the roster of pupils pictured on these two pages.





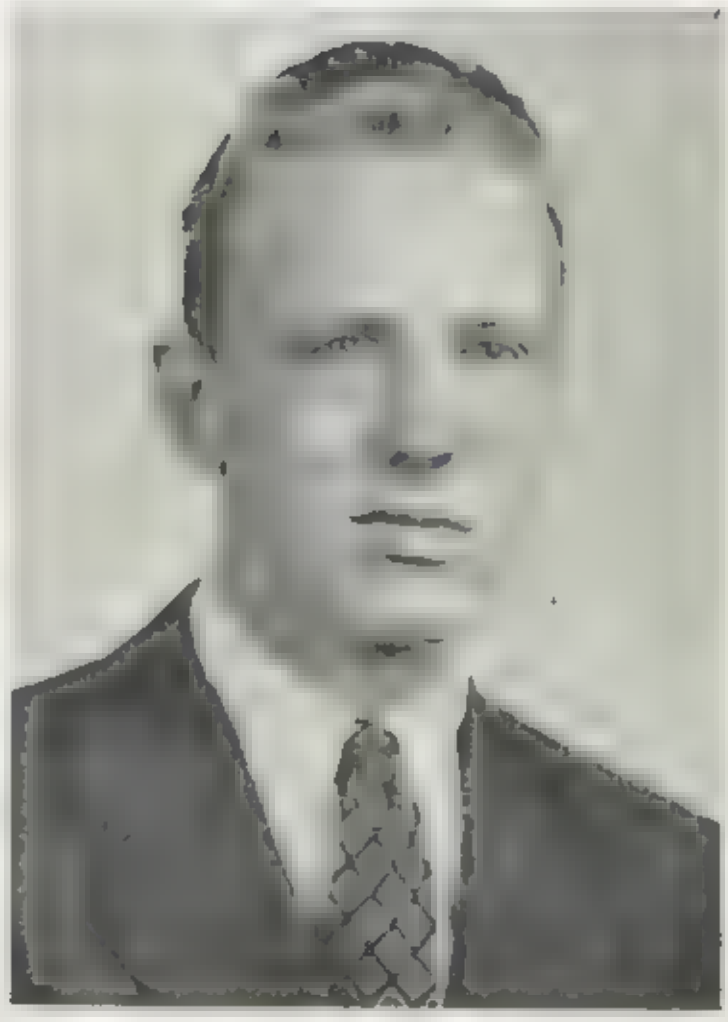
DOROTHY WATKINS



BEBE KEYSER



ELIZABETH NEWBY



JEFFREY HORNEY

These pupils have attained eminence in their classes through a happy combination of intelligence, ambition, and industry.



The above students are honored for their unusual achievement in the Interscholastic League Speech events.

*Left to right, top row*

RUTH RIMMER

JANIE TEIPEL

Debaters

*Middle row*

BOBBY BLEVINS

Debater

JACK EARNEST

Extemporaneous Speaker

*Lower left*

CHARLES MAUPIN

Ruth Rimmer also has the distinction of being an exceptionally fine essayist.

# Honor Roll

## JOHN E. MORRIS AWARD

Given for perfect attendance and punctuality for four years

### January Senior Class

TOM HARPER

### JUNE SENIOR CLASS CANDIDATES

With no absence or tardiness up to May 1, 1944

Bobby Blevins  
Alva Lee Chatelaine

Jean Cullum  
Bebe Keyser

Bobbie Kuehne  
Bobbie Sue Miller

## Scholarship Club

This is an inactive, unorganized club of the school made up of those pupils making the honor roll at least once during the school year. An average of B is required.

### JANUARY SENIORS

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE THREE TIMES

Francine Earhardt, Ivy Fain, Norma Jean Flood, Charles Gorman, Betty Lou Hix, Virginia Hodges, Jean Johnson, Pat Kelly, Marjorie Milne, Betty Neal, La Yvonne Peterson, Aileen Sullivan, Orene Whitcomb, Isham Wilson.

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE TWICE

Louise Stealey, Harry Slaughter, Eulah White

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE ONCE

Fred Davis, Joyce Johnson, Lloyd Marie Pollock, Alma L. Ziegler.

### JUNE SENIORS

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE FIVE TIMES

Margaret Bohanan, Johnette Bradley, Wyllene Bryson, Jamie Caldwell, Betty Lou Clifton, Gloria Clause, Don Coke, Marion Cooper, Serena Coppedge, Mettawee Crisp, Jean Cullum, Gloria Cunningham, Bobbie Dinsmore, Wilmer Froese, Murlene Fuller, Margaret Goodwyn, Carolyn Harris, Pat Hiebert, Wilburn Hill, J. Alfred Hitt, Ernestine Holland, Sylvia Jensen, Virginia Jones, Wanda Jones, Katharine Kebe, Bebe Keyser, Janice King, Vernon King, Jack Lindsey, Mary Meyers, Bobbie Sue Miller, Billie Mae McLaughlin, Elizabeth Newby, Betty Owen, La Nelle Parmer, Gerald Painack, Edith Province, Vernon Ratliff, Betty Saurage, Mary Nelle Sides, Jean Vining, Dorothy Watkins, Pauline Wray

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE FOUR TIMES

Drucilla Bivings, Bob Blevins, Ina Sue Darnell, Betty Jean Dodd, Jack Earnest, Maricene Hendrick, Bobby Kuehne, Bill McCormick, Mary McWilliams, Ola McWilliams, June Mandeville, Charles Maupin, Richard Newton, Daphna Reeves, Lenore Rubin, Dorrace Schaerdel.

Billa Stovall, Elnor Strother, Virginia Sue Varnell, Mina Lee Vernon, Lila Ann Williams, La Verne Woodmansee, Betty Yates, Carl Younger

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE THREE TIMES

Don Alexander, Marjorie Clark, Betty Lou Gorman, Betty Grundy, Betty Hix, Martha Lou Humphrey, Jack Hyles, Harry La Grane, Gerald Lam, Marilyn Leemis, Peggy Rendon, Melba Rose Smith, Virginia Vaughn, Sam Ward, Maurice Williams.

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE TWICE

Charlene Bagg, John Cooper, Bill Enacks, Dorothy Grady, Mildred Hix, Jenny Beth Minick, Travis Pearson, Betty Perry, Martha Jo Slesmore, Virginia Thomas, Betty Jo Vinson, Emmett Watson

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE ONCE

Jean Bangert, Lee Britt, Jackie Cline, Tammy Childs, Jess Epps, Herbert Gorman, Betty Harris, Leland Hobbs, J. W. Morris, Ann Powell, Jack Redding, Barnett Rippetoe, Fae Stovall, Don Thomas

### UNDERCLASSMEN

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE FIVE TIMES

Ada Jo Adams, Charles Alexander, Peggy Archibald, Terry Ann Baker, J. E. Banks, Jack Basden, Rolfe Beaudry, Eddie Bivins, Jeanne Boyd, Robbie Bowles, Vera Campbell, Patsy Carter, Kenneth Cason, Doris Clark, Billy Collins, Barbara Conner, Evelyn Cotton, Joyce Cunningham, Cleoann Curren, Billie Mae Curren, Helen Dine, Bevelly Finner, Barbara Ferguson, James Fogleman, Joanne Gowdy, Raymond Grace, Mary Louise Grace, Rudy Haas, Betty Jo Hamm, Elaine Hardison, Louise Hawkins, Jackie Hodge, Aia Holleman, Jo Ann Holzman, Paula Houston, Josephine Hulse, Eleanor Hutson, Lindell James, Beth Johnson, Charles Johnston, Arthur Jordan, Jane Julian, J. B. Kerbow, Mary Kerbow, Thelma King, Bobbie Leatherwood, Jimmy Leftwich, Anita Lipson, Edward Loper, Bob Lovell, Rosalie Lowe, Carolyn Lowrey, Jacqueline Marple, Marjorie Mitchell, Bill McCaskill, Sue Neal, Clea Nelson, Barbara O'Brien, Joe Pike, Yvonne Painack, Alfred Pomeroy, John Prichard, Patsy Ramsey, Marilyn Ratliff, Clarence Reid, Edward Rhodes, Ruth Rimmer, Edwin Roberts, Norma Roberts, Glenn Ramsey, Nita Salter, Dorothy Schramm, Billie Sherman, Jean Shuford, Jacqueline Skeeter, Alfred Slater, Don Smith, Martha Jo Smith, Henry Stafford, Doris Stiles, Dorothy Street, Mary Lou Struble, Charles Tanner, Eloise Tanner, Janie Teipel, Peggy Thomas, Alta Trout, Jerry Tunnell, Gene Turner, Mary Watther, Mildred Williams, Shirley Wolf

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE FOUR TIMES

Betty Atwood, Katie Allen, Pat Allen, Harry Bates, Bobby Behrens, Dorothy Berlin, Dorothy Biggs, Taylor Boyd, Billy Brice, Barbara Brown, Joyce Brown, James Bryant, Mary Carrico, Emma Jean Chandler, Donald Clark, Martha Clift, Glenna Coates, W. A. Couch, Jacqueline Dillon, Nina Gaines, Mary Katherine Graves, Mollie Hammer, Bobby Hardin, Wanda Hardie, Mary Haynie, Joy Heorne, Florence Hodges, Sam Hodges, Elaine Holden, Mary Nell Hollabough, Raymond Jones, Margaret Kimberlin, Beth Knight, Maralyce Knisley, Homer Lawson, Amy Lewis, Robert Mason, Wanda Matney, Patsy Mosely, La Toyne McClure, Betty McGuinness, Lurline Payne, Howard Pollock, Madie Reese, Gloria Russell, Joanna Stefancky, Betty Stovall, Betty Jean Stovall, Joy Taber

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE THREE TIMES

Gloria Ann Adams, Delmer Bates, Juanita Biggs, Mabel Blevins, Wanda Bolding, Betty Gene Branom, Mary Ann Britt, Dorothy Bunting, Louise Cannon, Jeanette Carter, Clyde Curren, Cleoann Curren, Raymond Conway, Marjorie Damsby, Bob Duff, Rex Finner, Jean Finner, Norma Dean Ford, Mildred Freeman, Betty Griffith, Virginia Hudson, Don Jensen, Lila Mae Lee, Margaret Meyers, Frances Metwin, Glen McGee, Marceline McNutt, Richard Moore, Peggy Morris, Jean Nater, Sandra Oster, Pat Pilsen, Winifred Rosenberger, Jerry Schofield, Betty Short, Betty Steen, Anita Thompson, Eddie Tolson, Pauline Trout, Oleta Vernon, Carmen Wannamacker, George Weatherford, Harold Whitfield, Jerry Williams, Bobbie Yeatts

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE TWICE

Jeannine Adcock, Frank Alexander, Barbara Allen, Wendell Baggert, James Barker, Rose Marie Beckenholdt, Ineta Bolding, Bill Brister, Doris Buchanan, Betty Caldwell, Phyllis Clark, Homer Dalton, Virginia Dawson, Marjorie Decker, Eleanor Durham, Elmer Etkins, John Faxon, Marie Galloway, Betty Gandy, Joan Gregory, Gloria Goolsby, Velma Hanks, Mary Helen Haws, Maybeth Hatcher, Bobbie Lee Herring, Lester Hiebert, Lucille Hudson, Barbara Johnson, Lawrence Jones, Charles Knight, Robert Lee, Clessie Long, Wanda Long, Elaine McCoskey, Thomas Murphy, Rheo Nichols, Joan Opal, Alice Nell Oughton, Patsy Patterson, John Phipps, Yvonne Portwood, Jennie Rarickoff, Patricia Rather, Jimmy Sellers, Sue Alice Shaw, Paula Sheffer, Doris Skillen, Betty Stanks, Alma Jean Stanton, Charles Street

#### THOSE MAKING THE AVERAGE ONCE

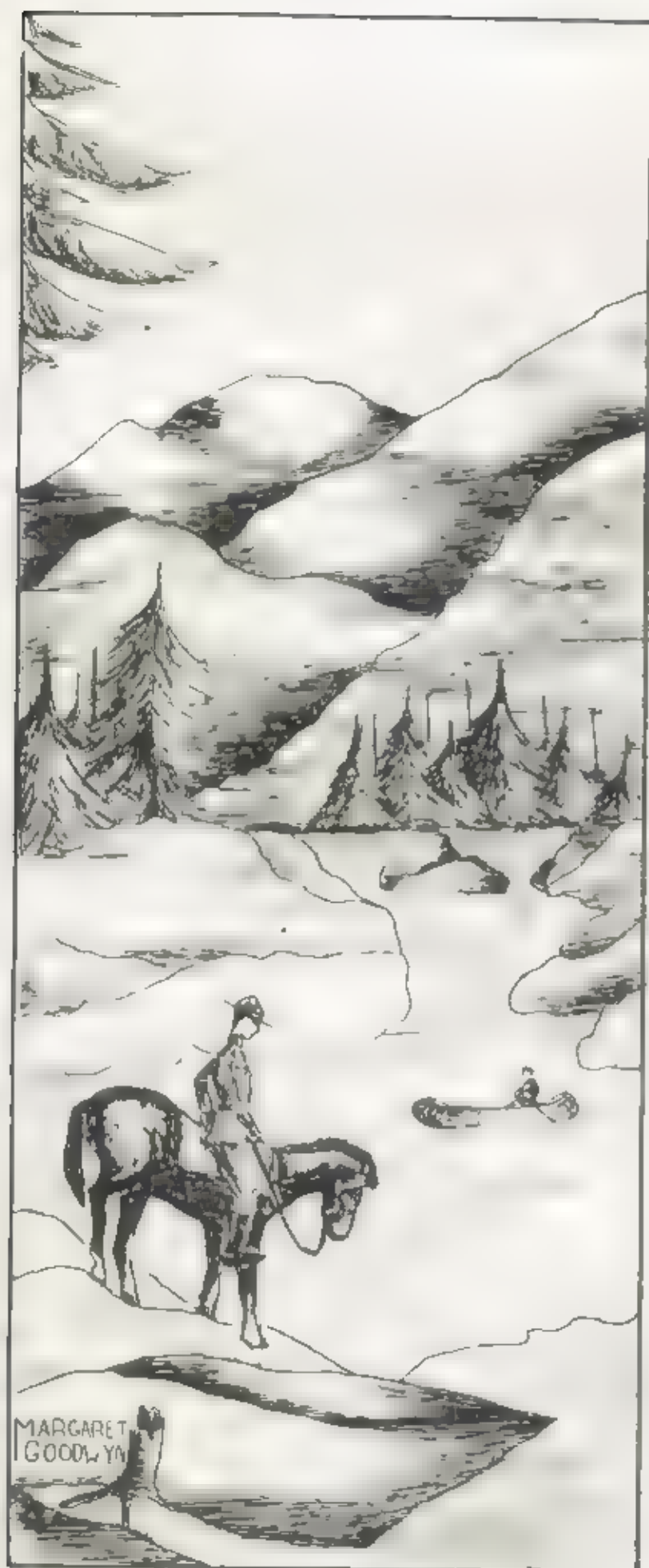
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## Celebrities

In the upper left corner, Sergeant Marvin Degenhart, ex-student.  
In the center, Captain William Meek, faculty-member-on-leave.  
The others need no introduction.



# ORGANIZATIONS



#### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Miss Schroeder, Cora Lee Blanchard, Ruth Vermillion, Joyce Thraus, Margaret Gatre, Mary Eddy, Mabel Tate, Wilma Havins, Marjorie Mitchell, Dorothy Inne Schumann, Joyce Yennone, Edna Rouse, M. Lynn, Dolores Johnson, Yvonne Campbell, Elizabeth Daisey, Jean Johnson, Dorothy Lynn, Elaine McCluskey, Margaret Goodwyn, Jerry Schafeld.  
Second Row Phyllis, Gerald Lam, Elaine Holden, Betty Jane Adams, Beverly Elmore, Betty Lee Berry, Mary Madden, Martha Mayson, Doris Bushey, Dolores Bushey, Peggy Archibald.

#### NOT IN PICTURE

Billy Claunch, Pat Hiebert, Tommy McMath, Mildred Williams, C. D. Peterson, Maxine Eberhart, La Verne Rote, Betty Ann Salmon, Billie Spencer, Imogene Stewart, Helen Adams, Charles Rice, Jan Black, Chalmers Cleveland, Marjorie Decker, Mary G. Brown, Jacqueline Morp, Madeline Reese.

## Art Club

Sponsor  
MISS MEREDITH SCHROEDER

#### OFFICERS

President	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Margaret Goodwyn
Vice-President	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Mildred Williams
Secretary	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Peggy Archibald
Acorn Reporter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Pat Hiebert

This year the Art Club has conducted a series of studies on "The Art of the United Nations." Part of this was incorporated in the drawings for the Oak. In addition to this, emphasis has been placed on ceramics, frescoes, and various handicrafts by student lectures illustrated with objects of art collected by Miss Schroeder and individual club members. For varied and special interest, several prominent Dallas Artists have been our guests, speaking on subjects interesting and vital to students of art. The informal meetings are held in the art room on the first and third Wednesday of each month.







LEFT TO RIGHT  
 First Row Janet Carter, Shirley Wolff, Jacqueline Dillon, Rebecca Coxie, Joy Tabor, Betty Jo Hottel, Marjorie Clark, Billy Margaret Curry  
 Standing Margaret Maples, John Maples, James Maberry, Joseale Hulse  
 NOT IN PICTURE  
 Lawrence Jones, Joy Lee Jones, Clara Louise Loveless, Louis Moore, Gene Turner, Terry Ann Baker, Bernhard Schramm

## Texas State Historical Association

Sponsors  
 MISS ABIGAIL CRANE  
 MISS LORINE HIGGINBOTHAM

Fall	OFFICERS	Spring
Lawrence Jones . . . . .	President . . . . .	Lawrence Jones
Jacqueline Dillon . . . . .	Vice-President . . . . .	Shirley Wolff
Joy Tabor . . . . .	Secretary . . . . .	Joseale Hulse
Joseale Hulse . . . . .	Program Chairman . . . . .	John Maples
Billie Curry . . . . .	Acorn Reporter . . . . .	Billie Curry

"Enterprising" is the word for the Junior Historians—they are not satisfied with a passive knowledge of local and state history but endeavor to stimulate interest of others in it. Their suggestion to the government that names of the original French settlers be given to the streets in the La Reunion housing project was accepted and the project was completed as planned. Excursions to various points of interest in the city betook them to the Beeman Cemetery where the family of Margaret Beeman is buried.

The official magazine, the Texas Junior Historian, frequently contains contributions from the Adamson club, the latest being a letter written by Marjorie Clark's great-grandfather, a general during the Mexican War.

On April 5, the third anniversary of the club was celebrated with a birthday party—cake and all—at one of the oldest houses in Oak Cliff, the Hord home in Marsalis Park. Originally the log cabin residence of early settlers, it now serves as the American Legion Hall for Oak Cliff.





#### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Seated Billie Margaret Curry, Joseale Hulse, Betty Lou Hix, Alleen Sullivan, Bobby Sue Miller, Jo Ann Stokes, Drucilla Bivings  
 Second Row Standing Betty Jo Hamm, Jacqueline Dillon, Cleo Nelson, Ada Jo Adams, Wanda Hardie, Pat Kelly, Shirley Wolff, Katherine Kerr, Eulah White, La Yvonne Peterson, Barbara Bartlett, Elizabeth Newby, Joy Taber, Orane Whitcomb, Charlotte Saunders, Mary Wood Vaughan, Dorothy Watkins, Miss Higginbotham

#### NOT IN PICTURE

Telva Ann Baker, Helen Binkew, Dorcas Clark, Jean Cullum, Mary Dugan, Robbie Dinsmore, Jo Evelyn Durbin, Margaret Goodwin, Maryn Loomis, DeLois Loomis, Glad Louise Lovess, Marjorie Mitchell, Doris Nelson, Peggy Render, Jenn Shufeld, Janie Tapp, Elizabeth Welch

## Book Review Club

#### Sponsor

MISS LORINE HIGGINBOTHAM

#### Club Mother

MRS J H DILLON

#### OFFICERS

#### Fall

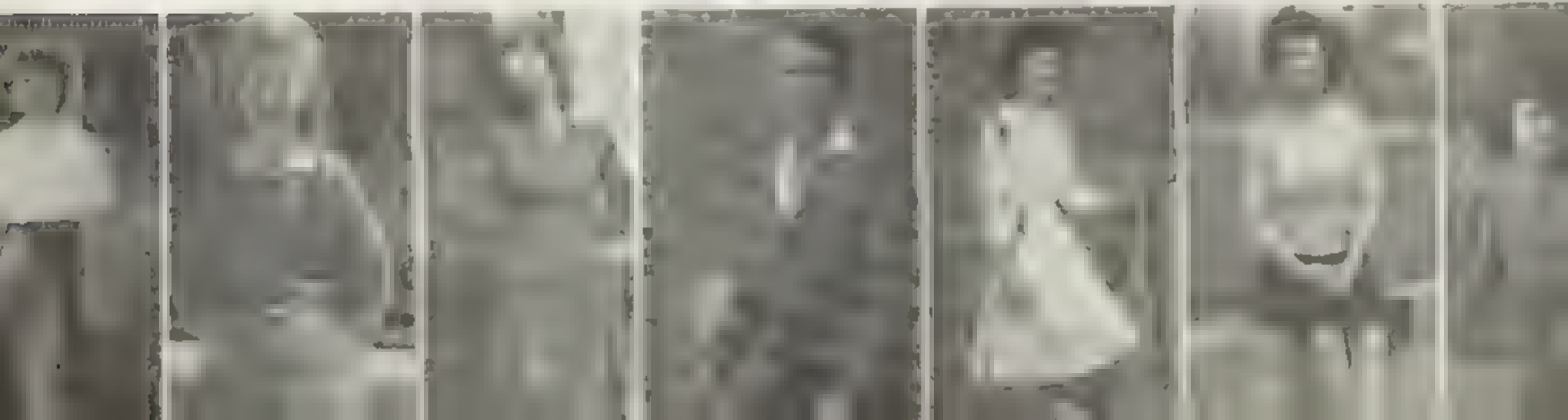
Alleen Sullivan  
 Bobby Sue Miller  
 Peggy Render  
 Betty Lou Hix  
 Jacqueline Dillon  
 Pat Kelly

President  
 Vice-President  
 Secretary  
 Program Chairman  
 Social Chairman  
 Acorn Reporter

#### Spring

Betty Jo Hamm  
 Drucilla Bivings  
 Jacqueline Dillon  
 Bobby Sue Miller  
 Katherine Kerr  
 Bobbie Dinsmore

"Out of the way! Here comes another member of the Book Review Club!" Every other Thursday morning at eight-thirty you hear this cry along the halls. Yes, another interesting meeting is getting under way! During these busy days the chance to hear an entertaining review of a best seller is a real opportunity. The reviews presented by the members themselves are sometimes humorous, often serious, but always worthwhile. The program for the year has been an exciting one. *The Human Comedy*, Jo Evelyn Durbin, *We Thought We Heard the Angels Sing*, Katherine Kerr; *Van Loon's Lives*, Elizabeth Newby, *Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo*, Dorothy Watkins, *Big Rock Candy Mountain*, Alleen Sullivan, *Get Thee Behind Me*, Joseale Hulse; *A Tree Grows in Brooklyn*, Betty Jo Hamm.





LEFT TO RIGHT

Miss Langford LaVerne Woodmansee Lenore Rubin June Reynolds La Nelle Parmer Bebe Keyser Joy Cummings Ruth Rimmer Carolyn Harris  
James Jerry Tunne.

NOT IN PICTURE

Elizabeth Newby

## Dallas Historical Society

Sponsor

MISS WINNIE LANGFORD

### OFFICERS

#### Fall

Bebe Keyser . . . . .  
Lenore Rubin . . . . .  
Joy Cummings . . . . .  
La Nelle Parmer . . . . .  
LaVerne Woodmansee . . . . .  
Elizabeth Newby . . . . .

#### President

#### Vice President

#### Secretary

#### Program Chairman

#### Acorn Reporter

#### Archivist

#### Spring

La Nelle Parmer

LaVerne Woodmansee

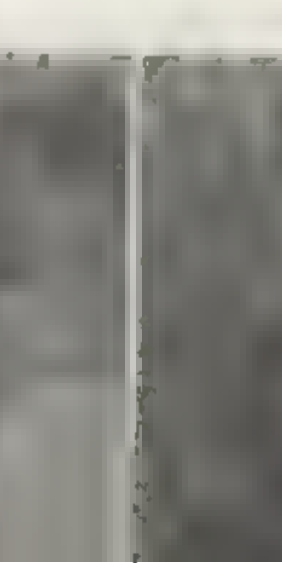
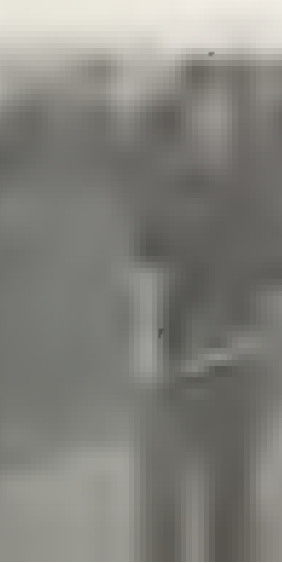
Bebe Keyser

Elizabeth Newby

Bebe Keyser

Lenore Rubin

This has been a year of true historical gleaning in the Dallas Historical Society. In spite of gasoline rationing, the club has been able to venture into the far corners of the community to find grains of Dallas history. Beeman's Cemetery, Southern Methodist University, and the new Mercantile Bank Building are a few of the spots visited in this search for wisdom. At the regular meetings held every other Thursday afternoon, the members brush up on their city's history and discuss current problems facing the metropolis. The year's pleasure has been climaxed by the member's presentation of a play, "Backward Glances," given at the Hall of State on February 19.







#### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: Jerry June Williams, Ma Lou Strubbe, Jo Ann Lowance, Pat Allen, Jeanice Patty, Nancy Bray, Jean Stokes, Jane Julian, Melba Williams, Jo Ann Richards, Pat Ramsey  
 Second Row: Beth Knight, Joyce Coats, Elaine McCaskey, Maured Moss, Maclyn Salter, Evelyn Wolf, Patty Mailey, Patricia Reynolds, Ruby Wright, Jane Warren, La Vina Jones  
 Standing: Beth Lou Fisher, Miss Rockett, Rita K. Eiland, Jo Ann Hinchley, Dottie Styles, Mary Hellen Haws, Louise Hawkins, Jo Ann Gowdy, Rose Mary Archer, Betty Lou Martin, Peggy Ewing, Paula Houston, Peggy Smith, Nancy Thomas, Kathleen B. Allen, Cecelia Dres

## Junior Girl Reserves

**Sponsors**  
 MISS MABEL ROCKETT  
 MISS MYRTLE FOSTER

#### OFFICERS

Fall		Spring	
Mary Hellen Haws	President	Maclyn Salter	
Paula Houston	Vice President	Jo Ann Lowance	
Melba Williams	Secretary	Pat Allen	
Jo Ann Lowance	Treasurer	Jeanice Patty	
LaVina Jones	Interclub Council Representative	Jean Stokes	

The Junior Girl Reserves do not merely follow in the footsteps of their big sisters, they work beside them. It takes a heap of energy but they have never had a dull moment this year. They have shared the r share of the partners for the monthly dances at the Y. On Saturday mornings, they have rolled bandages for the Red Cross, made tray favors for the men at the Veterans Hospital and assembled joke books for the local U. S. O. They have had a part in the pleasure at the U. S. S. Canteen. All Junior Girl Reserves will tell you that they have had loads of fun this year.





LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: Billie Jean Rainwater, Barbara Purnell, Sylvia Jensen, Doris Bushey, Della Lou Sutton, Virginia Jones  
 Second Row: Jean Watson, Carolyn Lowery, Jean Johnson, Charlene Biggs, Bobbie Sue Miller, Hannah Jo Parria, Bobbie Dinsmore  
 Third Row: Betty Yates, La Verne Woodmansee, Elaine Figula, Wyllena Bryson, Marjorie Clark, Dorothy Watkins, Bilia Stovall, Edith Province, Bebe Keyser, Katherine Ann Dinsmore, Evelyn Wilma Johnson  
 Fourth Row: Catherine Purnell, Paula Sue Stevenson, Jane Sanford, Barbara Allen, Katherine Boyles, Patsy Carter  
 Standing: Margaret Mages, Thelma King, Margaret McCaffrey, Billie Sherman, Evelyn Taylor, Edith Province, Mae Stovall, Edith Stovall, Fae Stovall, Betty Savage, Dorothy Grady, Dollie Jane Woodall, Dorothy Wilson, Billie Spencer, Jo Ann Stokes.

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Barbara Barthell, Frances Fulton, Billye Harris, Mildred Holtz, Thelma King, Marjorie Milne, Lenore Rubin, Eulah White, Dorothy Watkins, Billie Jo Burke, Peggy Render, Jenny Bath Minnick, Hazel Bivins, Ruth McCaffrey, Gloria Russell

## Senior Girl Reserves

### Sponsors

MISS EUGENIA NEWBERRY      MRS. MINNIE BRAMLETTE

### Fall

Joan Stokes . . . . .  
 Bebe Keyser . . . . .  
 Marjorie Milne . . . . .  
 Bobbye Sue Miller . . . . .  
 Lenore Rubin . . . . .  
 Mildred Holtz . . . . .

### OFFICERS

President . . . . .  
 Vice-President . . . . .  
 Secretary . . . . .  
 Program Chairman . . . . .  
 Interclub Council Representative . . . . .  
 Social Chairman . . . . .  
 Treasurer . . . . .

### Spring

Joan Stokes  
 Bobbye Sue Miller  
 Billye Sherman  
 Charlene Biggs  
 Bebe Keyser  
 Mildred Holtz  
 Lenore Rubin

This has been an exciting year for the Senior Girl Reserves. The social life has been grand! Parties, luncheons, style shows and a week end Interclub Council Conference with delegates from Wichita Falls and Fort Worth. On the serious side there has been a round of activity, too. Many scrapbooks, slippers and utility bags have gone to service men from Girl Reserves, working on spare Saturdays. The most unusual project of the year was the formation of the Youth Center at the Y. W. C. A. Here the Girl Reserves themselves made a bare room into the U. S. S. Canteen, a ship bound for romance and adventure.





LEFT TO RIGHT  
 First Row: Pat Peterson, Pat Hiebert, Pat Ramsey  
 Second Row: LaVerne Woodmansee, LaNelle Parmer, Dorlis Stiles, Mrs. Helen Horn  
 Third Row: Margaret Goodwyn, Joy Taber, Nina Gaines, Johnele Bradley, Katie Allen  
 Fourth Row: Robert Hall, Bobby Horton, LaVerne, Miss Nellie Bly Lankford

## Pen Pal Club

Sponsors  
 MRS. HELEN HORN  
 MISS NELLIE BLY LANKFORD

### OFFICERS

Fall		Spring
Pat Hiebert . . . . .	President . . . . .	LaVerne Woodmansee
LaNelle Parmer . . . . .	Secretary . . . . .	LaNelle Parmer
Nina Gaines . . . . .	Vice-President . . . . .	Margaret Goodwyn
Robert Hall . . . . .	Program Chairman . . . . .	Dorlis Stiles

Recipe for making a Pen Pal  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  cup of talent  
 1 cup of knowledge

$2\frac{1}{2}$  cups of ambition  
 1 teaspoon of inspiration  
 3 tablespoons of energy

Combine all ingredients, stir until smooth, season with a dash of originality, a bit of cleverness, and a large portion of sincerity. Serve a sample to club members and heed their criticisms and comments. If the flavor and aroma are bad, discard, but if on the contrary, they are pleasing, serve a large slice. This recipe is for a family of sixteen but on Friday, March 17, fed fifteen hundred at a general assembly.







LEFT TO RIGHT  
 First Row Brit Carpenter, Jean Johnson, Betty Dodd, Edwin Roberts, Reva Nell Cook, Billy Claunch  
 Second Row Bobby Kuehne, Marijane Hendrick, Gerald Lam, Dorrace Schoerdel, Miss Helms

NOT IN PICTURE  
 Charles Fulkerson, Rosie Lee Lowe

## Stamp Club

Sponsor  
 MISS DAPHNE HELMS

### OFFICERS

Fall		Spring
Marijane Hendrick	President	Bobby Kuehne
Gerald Lam	Vice-President	Edwin Roberts
Dorrace Schaerdel	Secretary	Britt Carpenter
Bobby Kuehne	Acorn Reporter	

The Stamp Club, one of the most individual clubs of Adamson, boasts that its members are among the best informed students in school—in regard to stamps. Self made authorities that they are, they claim to be competent judges of rare stamps and can give the historical significance of many of the unusual ones. The bi monthly meetings end with a period of trading where it is claimed that old fashioned horse trading methods, trickery, and skul-drogery, are revived by modern philatelists bent on bargains.





LEFT TO RIGHT

Left Side: Jean Watson, Reva Nell Cook, Estelle Knearem, Betty Harman, Charlene Cornish, Phyllis Clark  
 Right Side: Geraldine Robinson, Bobbie Jo Herring, Mr. Redway, Pat Hiebert, Mina Lee Vernon, Janice King, Margaret Mayers, Peggy Strawn,  
 Charlotte Saunders, Cleo Nelson, Wanda Hardin, Peggy Render, Mary Catherine Rosse

NOT IN PICTURE

Doyle Nichol, LeYuanne Robinson, Betty Owen, Bessie Rainwater, Evelyn Speed, Dorothy Layton, Marceline McNutt, Beryl Sherman, Dorothy Wilson,  
 Marilyn Loomis, Thomas Murphy, Juanita Siggs, Anna Marie White

## Medical Professions Club

Sponsor  
 MR. C. H. REDWAY

### OFFICERS

Fall		Spring
Charlotte Saunders	President	Peggy Render
Mary Catherine Rosse	Vice-President	Mary Catherine Rosse
Peggy Render	Secretary-Treasurer	Reva Nell Cook
Dorothy Wilson	Acorn Reporter	Dorothy Wilson
Estelle Knearem	Library Representative	Estelle Knearem
Jean Watson	Program Chairman	Barbara Purnell

Interest in biology, medical science or nursing is the only prerequisite for membership in the Junior Medical Professions group. Skeletons, skulls, dissections make fascinating subjects for discussion, when the club meets every other Tuesday. Few things can keep strict privacy around this group. Pity even the lowly amoeba as he is spied upon through the microscope!

For variety and extra excitement, visits are made to hospitals where excellent opportunity is provided for serious contemplation of the medical profession and its allied vocations.





#### LEFT TO RIGHT

Seated James Alfred Hill, Henry Stafford, Laura Green, Nita Jean Sallier, Terry Ann Baker, Martha Jo Smith, Paula Houston, Peggy Still, Yvonne Poole, Ann Lynn Shannon, Kathleen A. Gibson, Barbara Conner, Melba Hammer, Dorothy Bogg, Peggy Strawn, Julia Nelle Stamps, Billie Sherman, Anne LeBlanc, and Tanya.

Standing James R. ... Lenore Rubin, Drucilla Bivings, Dorothy Watkins, Wylena Bryson, Johnelle Bradley, Nancy Sanders, Mary Kay Keyser, Bobby Sue Miller, Katherine Kerr, Bebe Keyser, Peggy Thomas, Ada Jo Adams, Hazel Bivings, Carolyn Lowery, Wanda Jones, Bebe Yones, Margaret ... Vernon King, J. B. Kerbow.

#### NOT IN PICTURE

Jack Day, Robert Holt, Arthur Jordan, Betty Cearley, Elayne Hardison, Billie Jean Harris, Mary Helen Hawes, Joan Holyman, Rosalie Lowe, Frances Merwin, Marjorie Milne, Mary Jane Neal, Dorothy Berlin, Emma Jane Chandler, Jacquelyn Dillon, Jean Farrell, Olivia Irwin, Bettie Jo Hamm, Shirley Merritt, Dorothy Mott, Gloria Goolsby, Lurline Payne, Jay Tabor, Maurice Williams, Jeanine Ro-coff.

## Pan American Forum

### Sponsors

MISS ROBERTA KING  
MISS EUGENIA NEWBERRY  
MISS VIRGINIA ROOTES

### OFFICERS

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Vice-President	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Bebe Keyser
Secretary	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Bobby Sue Miller

Buenos dias, amigo mui que ta? Como esta su novio? Que muchacho guapo!

If you can't understand that, you are not a member of the Adamson Pan American Student Forum! This organization, meeting every other Monday, is allied with the international Pan American. Its purpose is to foster friendship between all Pan American countries through the dissemination of knowledge with its consequential understanding and tolerance.

It is real fun to attend the programs of songs, dances, discussions. Five times each year the clubs of the city assemble in chapter meetings. The most exciting event of the local club is the Christmas party complete with the pinata, nacimientos, and other Mexican specialties.

Para vds. siempre hay una bienvenida. Por que no viene a visitarnos?







LEFT TO RIGHT  
Seated: Carl Younger, Charles Maupin, Bobby Blevins, Ruth Rimmer, Mr. Sherman  
Standing: La Tayne McClure, Edwin Harris, Sondra Oster, Janie Teipel, Dollie Jones Woodall, June Mandeville, Jack Earnest

## National Forensic League

Sponsor  
MR W E SHERMAN

### OFFICERS Fall and Spring

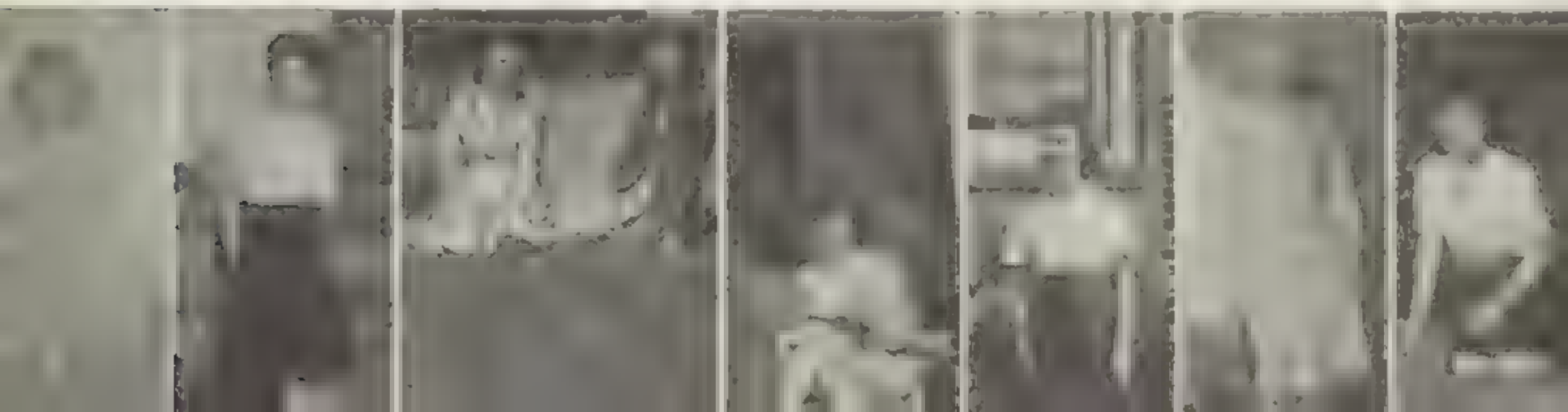
President	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Bobby Blevins
Secretary	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Janie Teipel
Vice-President	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Charles Maupin

The activities of the Adamson Forensic, which attained national affiliation in 1939, include debate, extemporaneous speech, original oratory, and dramatic, humorous, and oratorical declamation.

The purposes of these forensic activities are to develop logical thinking, to encourage self educating research, and to learn the art of persuasive expression.

The district meet held this year at Sunset High School on March 31 and April 1 includes representatives from the Texas-Louisiana area. Our four member debate team, composed of Jack Earnest, Janie Teipel, Bob Blevins, and Charles Maupin, won first place, while Jack Earnest and June Mandeville, our extemporaneous speakers, tied for first and second places respectively. Other representatives were Sondra Oster, in humorous declamation and original oratory, Ruth Rimmer, in oratorical declamation, La Tayne McClure, original oratory, Janie Teipel, in dramatic declamation, Carl Younger, in oratorical declamation.

Practice meets have also been held this year at Sunset, North Dallas, Adamson, Houston, and Shreveport.





#### LEFT TO RIGHT

D. K. Newwood, Robert Hall, Dorothy Watkins, James Maberry, Betty Penn Ruse, Norma Flood, Sandra Oster, Catherine Bagg, Donna Jane Woodlot, Betty Lou Hix, Linda Taylor, Evelyn White, Don Gabe, Jeanine Adcock, Billye Sherman, Jean Johnson, Betty Osborne, Elizabeth Newmy, Pat Kelly, Lindell James, Virginia Palmer, Jean Watson, Barbara Johnson, Jack Earnest.

## National Thespian Honor Society

#### Sponsor

MISS WILHELMINA HEDDE

#### OFFICERS

##### Fall

Betty Lou Hix	President	Sandra Oster
Pat Kelly	Vice-President	Lindell James
Jo Evelyn Durbin	Secretary	James Maberry

##### Spring

"But, my dear, it's too, too divine!" How would you say that? To learn the best way, join troupe number 338 of the National Thespian Society. The requirements for membership are few. If you have the ambition to act, memorize a two minute prose selection, present it at a regular club meeting, casually pay your initiation fee, then, presto, you're a member of the Adamson troupe and can enter into the joys of appearing in comedy, tragedy, or melodrama on our own stage!

The aim of the organization which is nationally affiliated is "To create a spirit of active and intelligent interest in dramatics among boys and girls in secondary schools."





LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Sam Madderia, Jack Redding, Tony Hamlin, Travis Pearson, Jack Lindsey, Robert A. and no  
 Second Row Rhea Nichols, John Young, Scott Keehey, Vernon Rolliff, Gerald Bryant, Edwin Harri  
 Third Row Bill Simpson, Billy Joe Tate, Lawrence Spray, Bill Durrett, Bill Gribble  
 Fourth Row Harry La Grene, Walter McCollum, James Steele, Oscar Mathews, James Stone

NOT IN PICTURE

Jack Taylor, Sam Word, Bill McCormick, Bill Anderson, Emmett Watson, Richard O'Brien

*Sam Young*

## D Club

Sponsor  
 MR W. E. SHERMAN

### OFFICERS

Fall													Spring												
Richard Avery	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	President	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Gerald Bryant						
Gerald Bryant	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Vice-President	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Bill Durrett						
Bill Durrett	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Secretary	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Travis Pearson						

Are you an outstanding athlete? Do you own a letter sweater? If you do, you are eligible for membership in the D Club. The fellowship of this organization promotes sportsmanship, clean living, and fair play. Since 1915, these wearers of the 'D' have gone out into many walks of life to take places in various fields of endeavor. Today many are in foreign fields bringing glory to themselves and their school as they follow the traditions of the old 'D' Club.







LEFT TO RIGHT

Seated: Calvin Ellis, Ernest Childress, Jack Redding, Travis Pearson, Jimmy King, Dick Shaw, James Steele, Edwin Harris, Sam Madderra, Charles Knight, Bill Anderson, Bob Carrell, Bill Grubble, Johnny Otis, Don Thomas, Lawrence Spray  
 Standing: Bob O'Hara, Bill Durrett, Miss Alexander, Joe Adams, Gerald Bryant

## Excelsior Club

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 MISS LAURA ALEXANDER

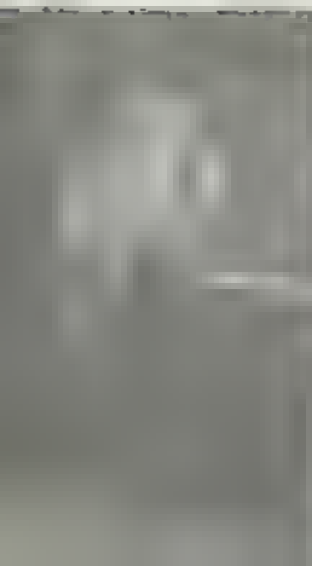
### OFFICERS

Fall			Spring
Gerald Bryant	President	Gerald Bryant	Gerald Bryant
Bob Carrell	Vice-President	Bill Anderson	Bill Anderson
Joe Adams	Secretary-Treasurer	Bill Durrett	Bill Durrett
Dick Shaw	Sergeant-at-Arms	Dick Shaw	Dick Shaw
Jack Redding	Parliamentarian	Jack Redding	Jack Redding

The boys in the Excelsior Club are banded together in friendship for open discussion of the affairs of the times. Often they are led in discussions by public spirited men meeting with them. Again they are the vigorous expression of youth learning to take a man's part in the responsibilities of citizenship in a free world.

Five of the club members who have already graduated are now commissioned officers and two are "non coms" in the service of our country.

This year the members of the club have presented to the library two books of current interest, Tregaskis's *Guadalcanal Diary* and Carlson's *Under Cover*.







# ACTIVITIES









LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: Betty Baker, Pauline Troutt, Jack Redding, Alta Troutt, Doris Nichol, Paula Sue Stevenson, Jo Ann Hinckley, Betty Griffin.  
 Second Row: Evin Appleby, Cecelia Dress, Elysa LaCoste, Helen Dodgen, Mabel Tate, Miss Jean Salter, Mildred Williams, Don Thomas.  
 Standing: Lois Blackwell, Chandler Hinckley, Miss Alexander, Dorothy Hunter, Bill Gribble.

## Library Council

Sponsor  
 MISS LAURA ALEXANDER

### OFFICERS

#### Fall

#### Spring

Frances Layton . . . . .	President . . . . .	Frances Layton
Jimmy Belt . . . . .	Vice-President . . . . .	Bill Gribble
Don Thomas . . . . .	Secretary . . . . .	Don Thomas

The Library Council is a service club for helping students who come into the library find, without delay, clippings, pictures, magazines, or books. The members in doing the business routines of the library learn office practice and, most important of all, learn how to get along with people of different personalities.







LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: Bobby Kushna, Jimmy Swape, Henry Stafford, Jack E. Cline, Janie Teipel, La Yvonne Peterson, Eulah White, Aaron Sullivan, Ernestine Mo and  
 Second Row: Margaret Bohanan, Betty Jo Henry, Bettye Yates, Dorothy Layton, Bebe Keyser, Bob Lovell, Travis Pearson, J. W. Morris, Betty Lou Garman, Charlene Ruggs, ~~Connie Sanders~~  
 Third Row: Jack Hyles, Drucilla Blivings, Betty Martin, Jack Redding, John Young, Bob O'Hara, Charles Latimore, Gerald Polnack, Richard Newton

## Student Council

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Bobby Evans, W. A. Couch, Preston Day, Gerald Hill, Harold Klassen, Harry LaGrone, Dick Shaw, James Stone, Vernon Ratliff, Serena Capridge, Patsy Cramer, Joy Lee Cummings, Jacqueline Dillon, Bobbie Olinmore, Helen Dunn, Juanita Edgar, Marjorie Howard, Virginia Jones, ~~in Maundy~~, Dorothy Moon, Margaret M. Cline, Marlene M. Hunt, Elizabeth Newby, Betty Jo Wren, La Ne & Palmer, Edith Province, Gloria Rusten, Doreen Schaefer, Betty Short, DeLoe Susan, B. S. Sova, ~~Armen Wassomake~~, Dorothy Wilson, Mary Ann Bitt, Patsy Gleason, Barbara Conner.

### Sponsor MISS FLOY AGNEW OFFICERS

Fall

Jack Redding	President	Margaret Bohanan
John Young	Vice-President	Travis Pearson
Janie Teipel	Secretary	Gerald Polnack

Spring

"The Student Council will meet in the auditorium today during counseling."

When this announcement is made over the loud speaker, eight class presidents and forty-eight counseling representatives jauntily proceed to the auditorium to transact the business of the day.

This business is varied and important because the council works for the improvement of the school through student democracy and good citizenship.

This year they have sponsored several energetic campaigns. The collection of costume jewelry for contribution to servicemen in the Pacific for use in their relation with the natives was rather successful. Repairable fountain pens were solicited and sent to soldiers, sailors, and marines via the repair shop. The annual Student Day was marked by an interesting assembly and general participation of the students in administering the routines of school life.

Indeed, the Student Council is becoming a good training center for future substantial American citizens!





# MY HEARTS IN HIGH

by

ANNE COULTER MARTENS

Presented by

THE JANUARY SENIOR CLASS

December 3, 1943

Directed by Miss Wilhelmina Hedde

## CAST

Dorie . . . . .	Pat Kelly
Bart . . . . .	Jimmie Swope
Elva . . . . .	Betty Lou Hix
Leonidas . . . . .	John Emery
Amity . . . . .	Eulah White
Perky . . . . .	Joyce Johnson
Freddie . . . . .	Tom Harper
Dash . . . . .	Joe Oliver
Kitsie . . . . .	Alleen Sullivan
Dot . . . . .	Louise Steeley
Mr. Sherman . . . . .	Charles Gaines

During the festivities of commencement, popular Dorie learned that she had won a house designing contest and was to be interviewed by a prospective employer. Believing that a boy would be more readily accepted, Dorie decided to masquerade as one and enlisted her ardent admirer, Bart, as an aid in the deception. Freddie and Dash, jealous of Bart, discovered the scheme and threatened to reveal the disguise. Kitsie and Dot complicated affairs, and Dorie's father proved an added menace. Also contributing to the confusion were Perky, the small sister, Elva, the moody mother, and Aunt Amity, who was trying to settle the awkward predicament. In a side-splitting scene Freddie and Dash tricked Dorie into revealing her identity. However, after such a hectic experience, Dorie decided that Bart was a far better career than house designing, and Dash and Freddie learned that their interests were really with Dorie's friends, Kitsie and Dot.



# DON'T KEEP HIM WAITING

by

ANNE COULTER MARTENS

Presented by

The June Senior Class

April 28, 1944

Directed by MISS WILHELMINA HEDDE

## CAST

Jeff Ramble	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Richard Newton
Toodles	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Betty Harmon
Betty	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Carolyn Harris
Owen	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Don Coke
Selina	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Elizabeth Newby
Jenny	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Dorothy Moon
Chester	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	James Maberry
Sally Lou	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Della Lou Sutton
Minerva	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Virginia Palmer
David Vance	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Bobby Blevins
Amos Atkins	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Jackie Cline
O'Toole	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Carl Younger

Beautiful Betty Ramble harrassed and exasperated over the irresponsibility of her family refuses to consider marriage to David Vance and subsequent departure for Argentina where a fine new job awaits the intrepid young man. David seeks consolation in a Southern charmer Sally Lou Bane, much to the discomfiture of Betty who retaliates by going on a shopping expedition, charging all purchases to members of her family. Giving Dave a taste of his own medicine, she flirts outrageously with Mr Atkins. The family, stunned by the strange trend of events, awakes to its shortcomings. In a whirl wind finish, Betty and Dave barely make the boat for a honeymoon cruise, Jeff wakes up to Jenny's charm and Toodles captures her long sought Chester.



# Orchestra



LEFT TO RIGHT

Mary Early, Della Lou Sutton, Connie Wilder, Bill Enoch, Tommy Russell, Frank Evans, John Maples, Bonnie Harris, Jackie Hedge, James Fogelman, James Estes, Henry Stafford, Mr. Watkins, Billy Wilson, Elaine Figules, Dorothy Street, Bonnie Spencer, Charles Lee, Barbara Brown, Alice Ann Stuart

# Chorus



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row, Jean Watson, Betty Jo Henry, Doris Bushey, Dorothy Piccollo, Margaret McCreary, Wanda Spohn, Josephine Hulse, Jane Julian, M. de Stava  
Second Row, Mr. Watkins, Martha Jo Smith, Mary Mayers, Elaine Holden, Emma Jane Chandler, Bonnie Nottingham, Margie Mitchell, Billie Jean Rowwater, Reba Vaughn  
Third Row, James Maberry, Billy Sullivan, Aubrey Pate, Charles Lee, Charles Knight, Tommy McMath, James Stone

# Interscholastic League Literary Events

The University Interscholastic League was organized in December, 1910 at a State Teachers meeting in Abilene. It is sponsored by a bureau of the Extension Division of the University of Texas and includes many athletic and literary events. Its avowed purpose is to organize and direct through the medium of properly supervised and controlled contests, desirable school activities, thereby assisting pupils in preparation for citizenship.

These students were chosen in open competition to represent Adamson in the Interscholastic League Literary Contests

Margaret Goodwyn, Margie Ray Booker, Linus Jones, Richard Newton, James Maberry and Don Coke composed the cast for the one act play "And Sendeth Rain."

J. B. Kerbow and Eleanor Hutson are declaimers. J. B. won third in the city. The subject of her prize winning essay was "Dunkirk" by Winston Churchill.

Joy Tabor, essayist, won first place in the city. The subject of her prize winning essay was "Graduation from High School. Then What?"

June Mandeville and Jack Earnest are extemporaneous speakers. June won first place in the city for her speaking. Jack won first in the regional and will compete in the State contest at Austin on May 4-5. His subject for discussion was "After Waterloo."

Ruth Rimmer, Janie Teipel, Bobby Blevins, and Charles Maupin, debaters, won both the city and regional contests. They, too, will compete in Austin at the final state contest. The subject for debate is: "Resolved, That the United States Should Join in Reconstituting the League of Nations."

James Hill and Yvonne Polnack are spellers.

## LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: June Mandeville, Janie Teipel, Eleanor Hutson, Margaret Goodwyn, Ruth Rimmer, Margie Ray Booker  
Second Row: Joy Tabor, Lindell Jones, Yvonne Polnack, Jack Earnest, J. W. Kerbow  
Third Row: Richard Newton, Charles Maupin, James Hill, James Maberry, Don Coke

## NOT IN PICTURE

Bob Blevins







# Adamson's Battle Line

Our illustrious visitor, Colonel Hans Adamson, on his visit here last fall reminded us

"The battle line of American youth is in the school room."

*On left page, top to bottom, you see*

"The Sonneteers," Miss Aduddell's senior English class. They contributed the sonnets published in this Oak.

A quiet moment in the Library!

Mathematicians with Mrs. Bramlette

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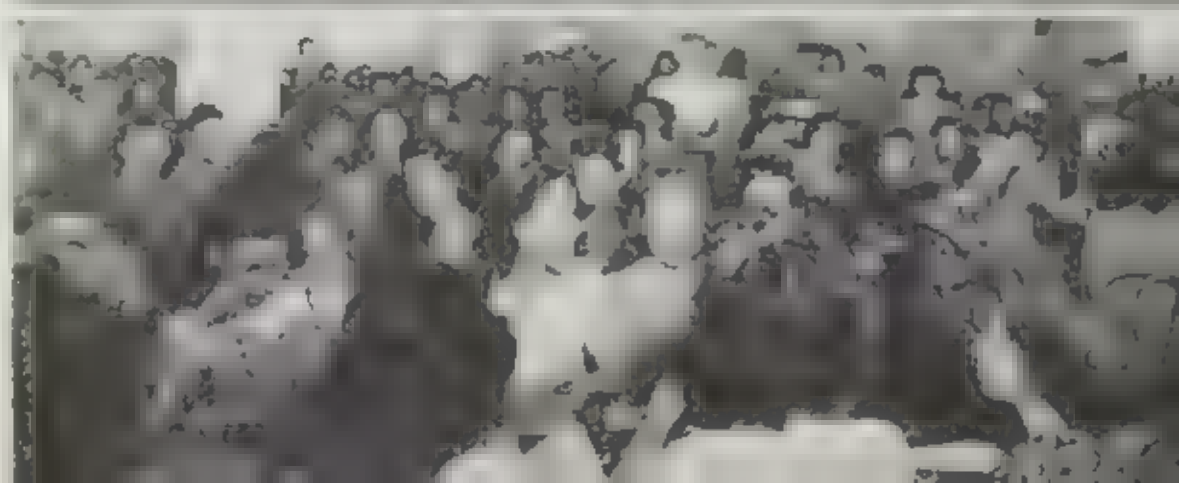
National Honor Society initiation—a minute of hushed silence.

The real pleasure of the Foods laboratory.

Sewing for the Junior Red Cross—slippers for heroes.

Future bankers with their sponsor. To them we intrust our money!

The lunch room during a busy hour.



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First Row: Virginia Jones, Peggy Lawrance, Hannah Jo Parris, Bobbie Dismore, Sylvia Jenson, La Verne Golden, Rava Nell Cook  
 Second Row: Nancy Sanders, Marialyce Kniseley, Irmogene Wilson, Jenny Beth Minick, Barbara Allen, Jacqueline Dillon, Dorothy Watkins, Margaret McCreary  
 Third Row: Gerald Lam, Richard Norwood, Betty Grundy, Jean Vining, Patricia Hiebert, Jo Adams, Carolyn Harris, La Verne Woodmansee, Druella Bivings, Merlawee Crisp, Wanda Long

### NOT IN PICTURE

Lindy Chandler, Don Thomas, Mae Stavall, John Emerly, James Wall, Gloria Clause, Charles Morris, Wyllena Bryson, Frank Taylor, Charles Davis, Mary Catherine Rose, Jack Hyles, Johnelle Bradley, Bobbie Blevins, Wanda Greathouse, Alva McLaughlin, Fred Davis, Shirley Wolff, Elmer Strother, Ata Holleman, Billie Garrett, Tommy Fox, Betty Harris, Joe Oliver, Don Alexander, Betty Althausan, Joyce Mizel Mizell, Jackie Cline



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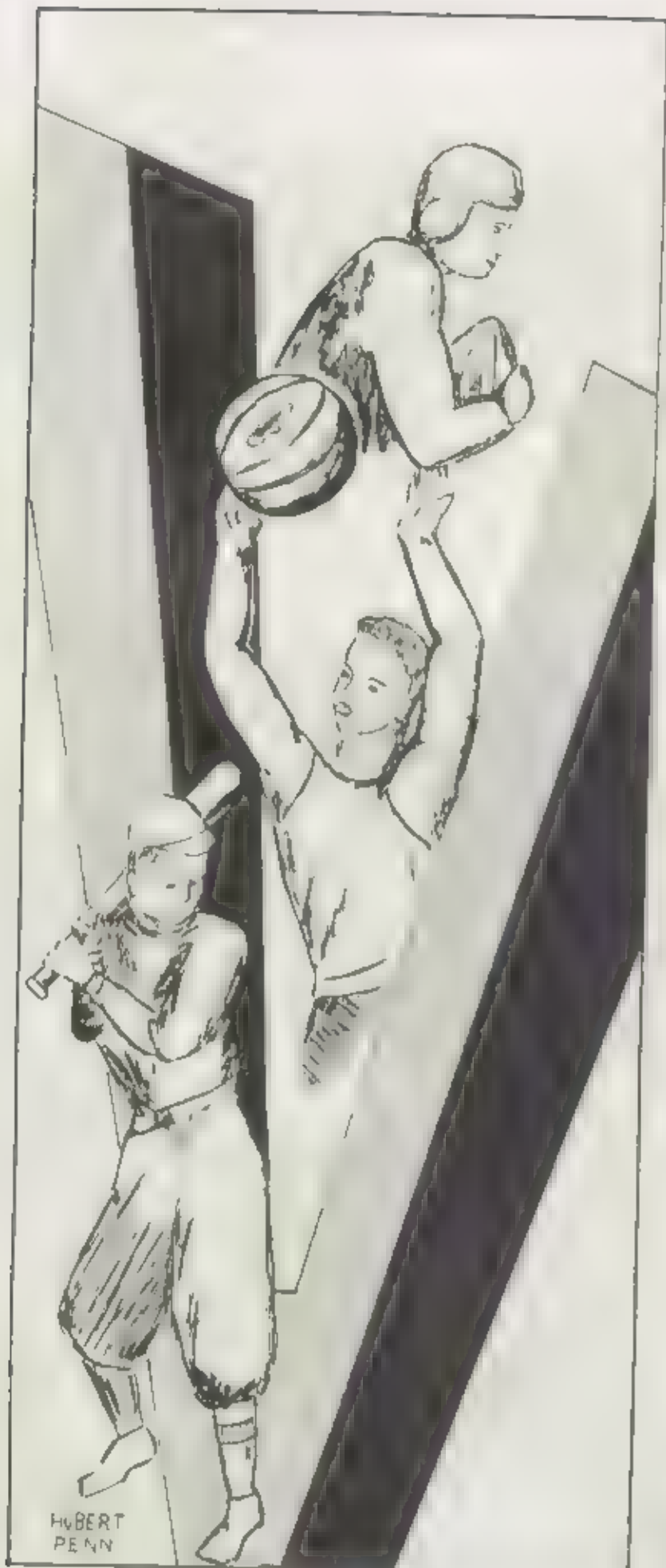
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 of reaching a point where  
 we can find a new  
 direction for our  
 development. The best of  
 luck in your efforts  
 and your success  
 will be the result.



# ATHLETICS

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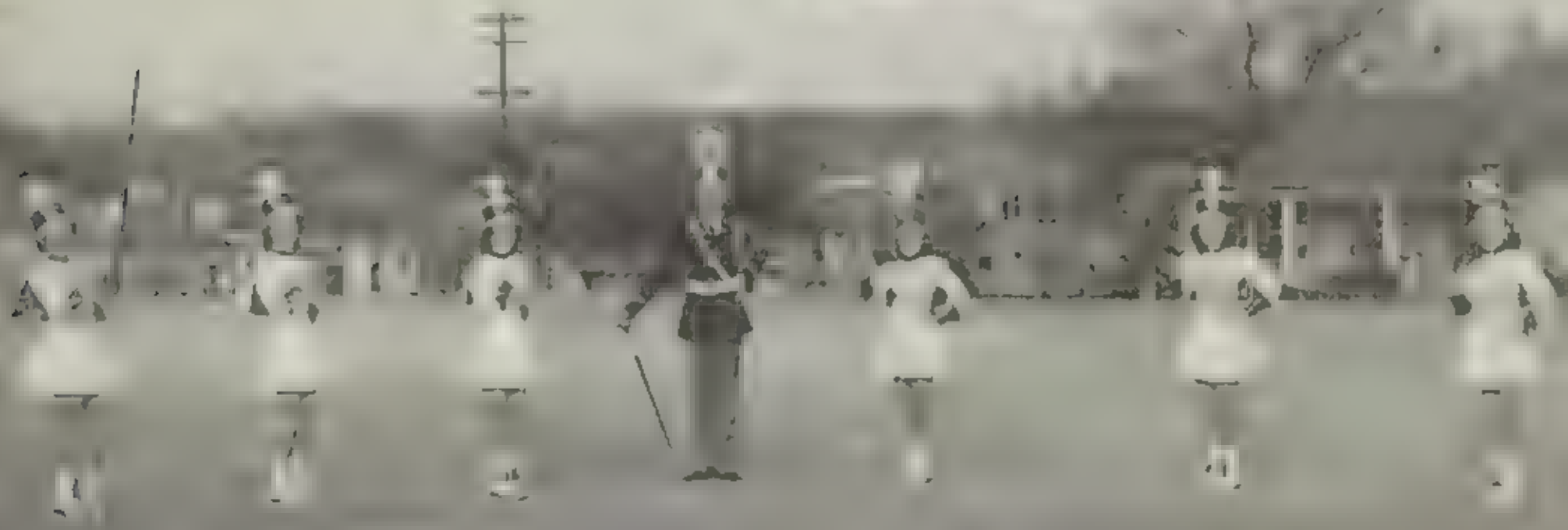


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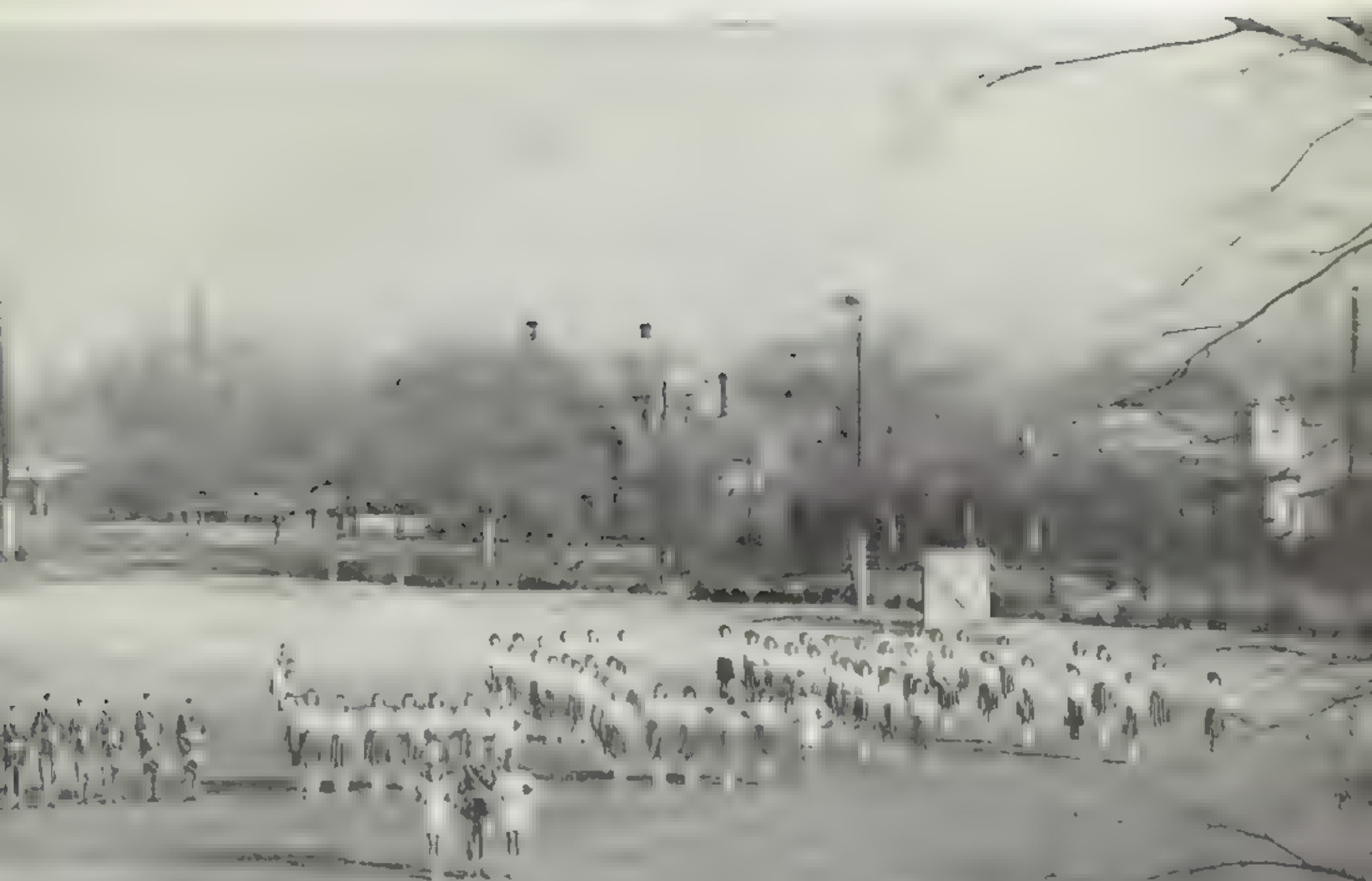
Left to right—Arlene, Marceline, Dorothy,  
Charlene

## MAIORETTES

Left to right—Sylvia, Bobbie, Norma, Della, Hannah Jo, Billie  
Fred, captain



# BLUE BAND



BILLA



PEGGY



EDITH





## YELL LEADERS

*Left to Right*

JACK DAVIS

J. W. MORRIS

BARBARA JOHNSON

DOLLIE JANE WOODALL

MILTON ELMS

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ELEANOR WALL



# LEOPARDS

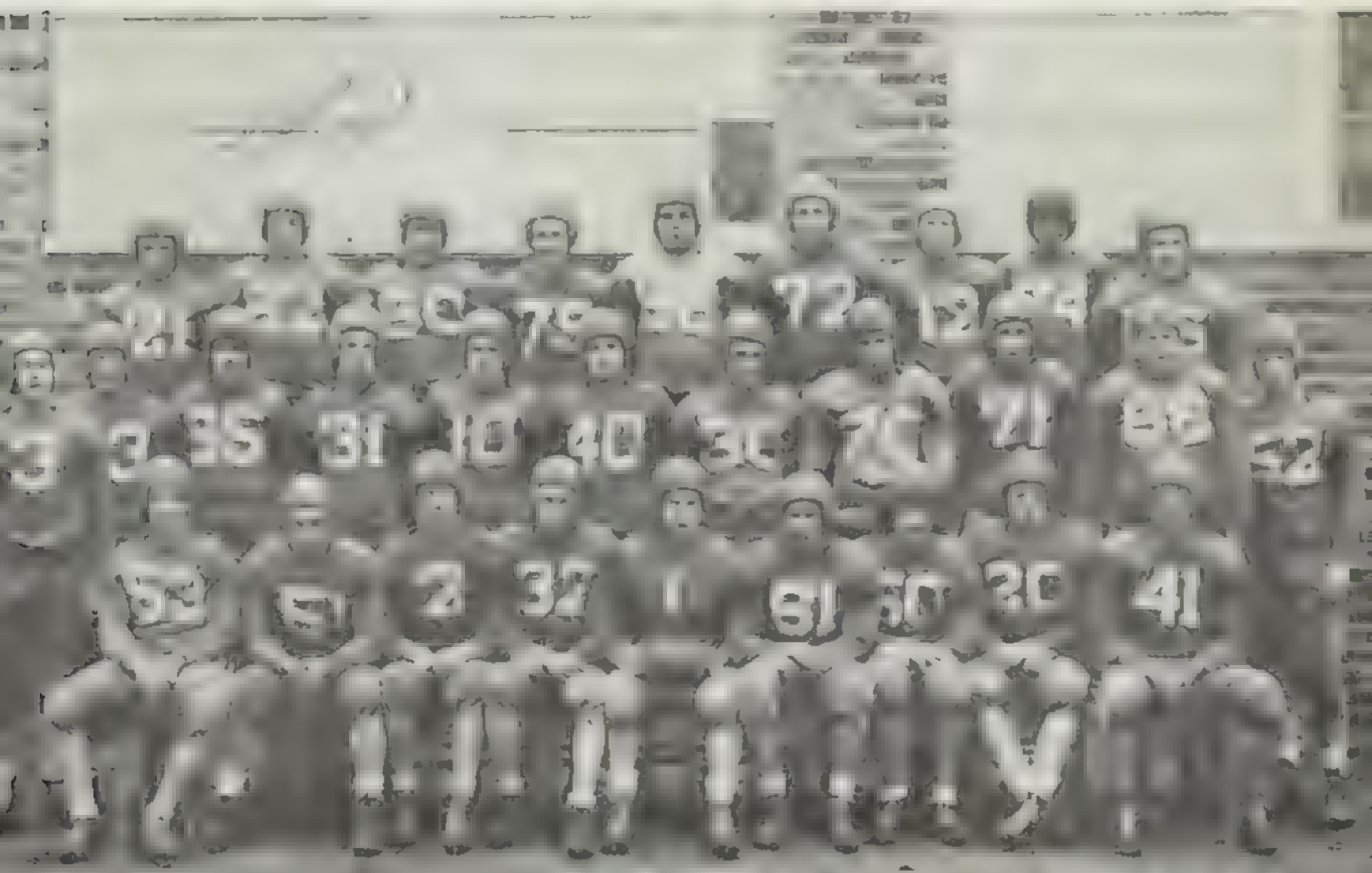
## THE GAMES WE PLAYED

September 17—North Dallas . . .	0-19
September 25—Forest . . . . .	12- 0
October 1—Woodrow Wilson . . .	2-13
October 7—Sunset . . . . .	7-30
October 14—Tech . . . . .	19-28
October 23—Woodrow Wilson . . .	6- 7
October 30—North Dallas . . .	0- 6
November 13—Sunset . . . . .	0-35
November 20—Forest . . . . .	13- 0
November 26—Tech . . . . .	0-12



### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row, James Hamilton, Tony Hamlin, James Stone, Oscar Mathews, Travis Peterson, Johnny Jones, John Cather, Warren Townsend, Don Thomas  
 Second Row, Bobby Behrens, Ernest Chidress, Alex Pearce, Wilbur H. Dick, Shaw, Bill Durrett, Gerald Bryant, Richard Avery, James Steele, Bill  
 Dorton, Bob Christ  
 Third Row, Rhea Nichols, Bill Gribble, Bill Simpson, Andy Chandler, Sam Martin, Harry Li Grone, Edwin Harris, Lawrence Spray, Scott Keahey



# LETTERMEN



Top to bottom  
Left

SCOTT KEAHEY  
Guard

With his vicious charging and blocking, "Scottie" acquired his second letter for the blue and white. He was chosen by the Dallas High School coaches on the All-City team.



JAMES STONE  
Back

Promoted from last year's scrub team, James proved an efficient substitute. He'll be a candidate for the starting line-up next year and one of the Leopard's three co-captains.

LAWRENCE SPRAY  
End

After getting a slow start, "Spraygun" improved sufficiently to earn his letter in the last half of the season. He'll be back next year and should win a starting berth.



RICHARD AVERY  
End

Three-year letterman, "Dusek" was chosen as the team's most valuable player and was unanimously chosen on the All-City team. He was co-captain last fall.

Right

BILL DURRETT  
Center

Excelling in defensive assignments and down-field blocking, "Wild Bill" was a candidate for All-City honors until he broke his arm in the Woodrow game. He'll be co-captain next fall.



HARRY LA GRONE  
End

"Sleepy" earned his first letter this year. His charging made him a valuable substitute and may win him a starting position next fall.

WALTER McCALLUM  
Back

Excelling in broken field running and passing, "Wall" earned his initial letter this season and will be back again next year.

GERALD BRYANT  
Back

Filling in at Beesley's position, "Moley" did a creditable job and should be one of the outstanding backs in the city next fall.

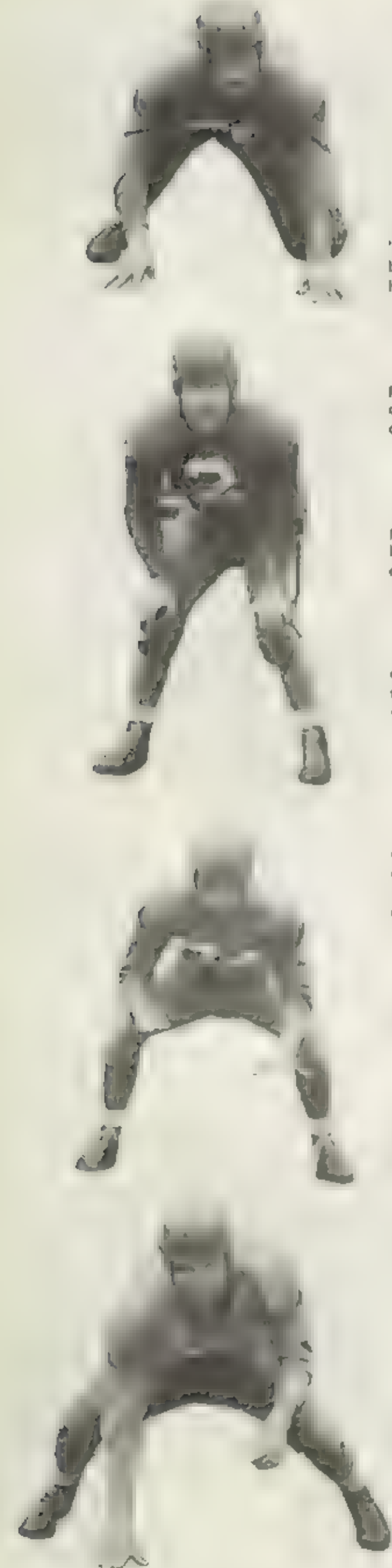
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CHARLES DAVIS  
Back

A reel runner, a good pass-receiver, track star, Charlie was a constant threat for the Leopard's opponents.

ROBERT ARGADINE  
Back

A fast, hard-running back, Bob started every game to earn his initial letter. He was a constant ground-gainer and a good pass-receiver.





# LETTERMEN

Left

**RHEA NICHOLS**

Back

One of the fastest backs in the city, "Nick" collected his first letter last year and has two years left to thrill the football fans of Adamson.

**BILL GRIBBLE**

Tackle

Rising from last year's scrub team, Bill proved a good all-round performer and earned a starting position in the latter half of the season.

**TONY HAMLIN**

Guard

With plenty of fight and pep, Tony earned his letter last fall after gaining a year's experience on the scrub team. He'll be back again next fall.

**TRAVIS PEARSON**

Back

Two-year letterman and co-captain, Travis was switched from guard to quarterback and proved an able blocker and signal caller. He'll be back as co-captain again next fall.

Right

**BILL SIMPSON**

Tackle

After starting in the first five games, big "Sabo" broke his finger in the Tech game and saw little service the latter half of the race. He'll be back again next fall.

**EDWIN HARRIS**

Back

Playing at his best when the going was difficult, hard-plunging "Bird" earned his position on the team, lettering his first year out.

**JAMES STEELE**

End

An all-round good end, "Rusty" earned his first letter last fall. He held his own on defense and capably executed his offensive assignments.

**SAM MADDERRA**

Guard

Playing hard every minute of the game, powerful Sam earned his second letter last fall. He handled responsible chores at any position on the line.

NOT PICTURED

**BILLY JOE TATE**

Tackle

A steady performer throughout the entire race, "Big Red" should be a candidate for All-City honors in the '44 campaign.

**OSCAR MATHEWS**

Center

Playing his first season for the blue and white, "Red" earned his letter as substitute center. He'll be back next fall and probably will be changed to an end position.

# ON OAK CLIFF HIGH



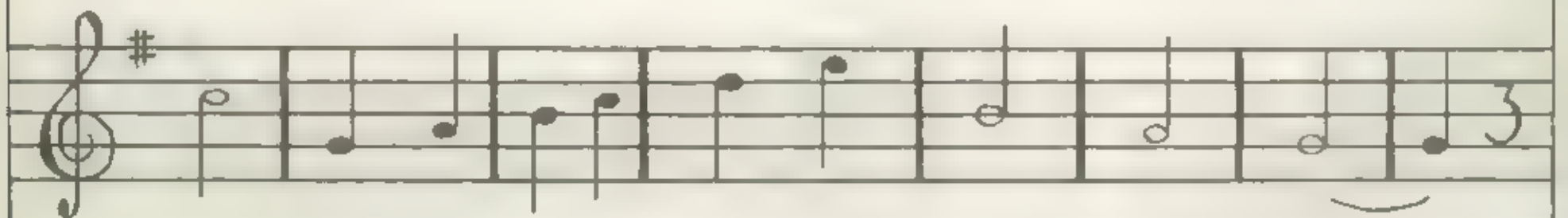
ON OAK CLIFF HI ON OAK CLIFF HI PLUNGE RIGHT THRU THAT LINE



THROW THE BALL A-ROUND THE END, A TOUCHDOWN SURE THIS TIME



ON OAK CLIFF HI ON OAK CLIFF HI FIGHT ON FOR YOUR FAME



FIGHT FEL-LAWS FIGHT AND WE WILL WIN THIS GAME

When the band breaks into the familiar strains of "On Oak Cliff High" opponents of Adamson know that the blue and white is on the march again. Many football heroes have received inspiration from it and all students, past and present, associate it with some of the most thrilling experiences of their school life. May it never be forgotten.



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Jack Karam, Bobby Totta, Ray Rumsey, Jack Tobet, Bill Self, Amos Heath, Joe Parks, Tommy McMath,  
 Second Row Ron E. W. J., Max, R. G. D., Jimmy L., K. P., O., David H., Jerry Moore, Charles Knight,  
 Third Row Charles B., Thomas B., Vincent B., Woodrow W., K. M., B., S., D., B., I. W.

## LITTLE LEOPARDS

### SCHEDULE

Adamson. . . . .	6	Sunset . . . . .	6
Adamson. . . . .	13	Sunset . . . . .	6
Adamson. . . . .	6	Sunset . . . . .	12
Adamson. . . . .	6	Tech . . . . .	20
Adamson. . . . .	6	Forest . . . . .	6
Adamson. . . . .	12	Forest . . . . .	0
Adamson. . . . .	6	Forest . . . . .	0
Adamson. . . . .	12	Woodrow Wilson . . . . .	19





W. E. SHERMAN, Coach

# BASKETBALL

Beginning with no returning lettermen or squadmen, the highly inexperienced Leopards went through the season winning twenty victories out of thirty games played and finished fourth in the city series. They scored a total of 1,108 points to 870 for their opponents, and wound up the season by winning the trophy for first place in the Oak Cliff Y. M. C. A. Invitational Tournament. In the finals of the same contest they defeated Crozier Tech to win another trophy and individual awards for each of the players.

*John*

LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: E. Whiner, Mike Comstock, Bobby Baker, Michom Ogden, Jack Reiding, Tommy Ivy, Harry Hudson, Charles Monday  
 Second Row: Mr. Sherman, Bill Anderson, Bob McGlosson, George Lovell, Arthur Jordon, Donald Hooten, Oscar Matthews  
 Third Row: Willie M., Walter P., Elmer Elkins, Robert Clark, Leroy Howard, Bob Lovell, Evelyn Appleby, Robert Lied, Lindy Chandler,  
 Fourth Row: Jimmy K., Jack K., Gribble, Bill McCormick, Sam Ward, Richard O'Brien, John Young, Emmett Watson, Harold Clason





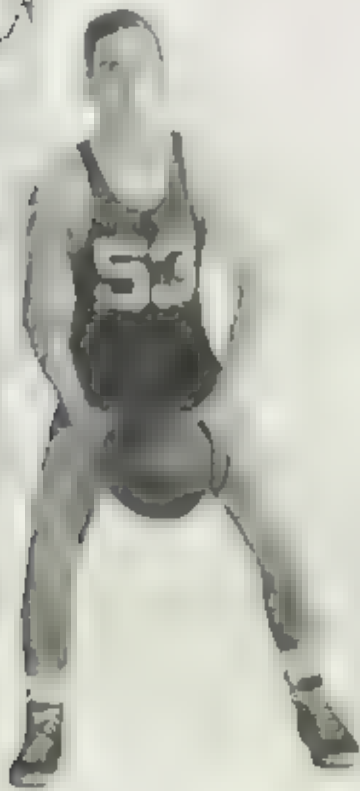
## SCHEDULE

### SECOND HALF

Woodrow Wilson	29
Adamson	31
Crozier Tech	31
Adamson	23
North Dallas	43
Adamson	26
Sunset	31
Adamson	20
Forest	26
Adamson	46

### FIRST HALF

Woodrow Wilson	31
Adamson	29
Crozier Tech	37
Adamson	33
North Dallas	40
Adamson	34
Sunset	41
Adamson	15
Forest	20
Adamson	35





W. E. NOAH, Coach

## TRACK

Through sheer determination and fighting spirit, the Leopard tracksters upset the dope by winning, for the second consecutive year, the city championship.

Vernon Ratliff was the high scorer in the city meet in which he collected 15 of the teams 37 1/2 points by winning first place in the discus and shot. Rhea Nichols won first in the 880 and George Theis tied for first in the high jump.

In pre season practice meets, the Blue and White won three of nine meets. In the regional meet, Adamson won second place by scoring 25 1/2 points. Ratliff was first in the shot and Surrey second in the 880. Rolfe Beaudry lost first place in the mile by a mere one-tenth of a second!

At the state race in Austin, Rhea Nichols won first place in the 880 yard run and Vernon Ratliff placed in the shot and broad jump. Eight men lettered. Plenty of credit is due Pop Noah for coaching these boys through their very fine season.

### LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: George Theis, Vernon Ratliff, Wayne Petty, Rhea Nichols, Rolfe Beaudry, Bob Simms, Forest Kavanaugh  
 Second Row: Earl Richardson, Alex Pearce, Clyde Case, Billy Joe Tate, Kenneth Ratliff, Kenneth Lotmer, Preston Day, Joe Parks, Keith Davis, Manager  
 Third Row: Thomas Murphy, Maurice Wallace, J. R. Tucker, Raymond Eubanks, J. G. Pichot, Forest Farrar







## LETTERMEN

*Clockwise*

Rolfe Beaudry

Billy Joe Tate

Bob Simms

Wayne Patty

George Theis

Vernon Rolliff

Rhea Nichols

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Kenneth Surley





W. W. HENSLEE, Coach

# BASEBALL

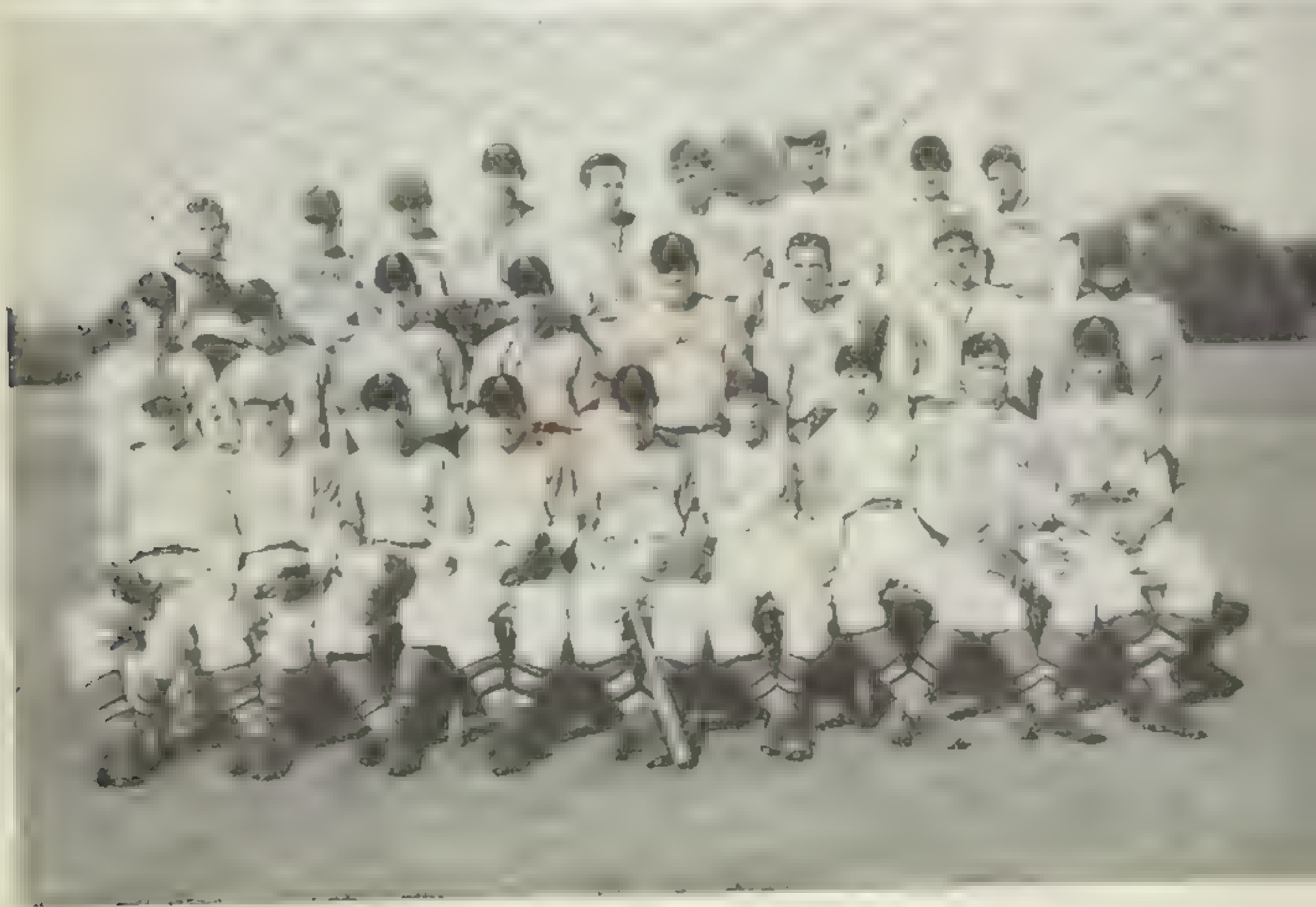
Winning the first three games of the season by defeating Woodrow Wilson, Forest and North Dallas in decisive manner the Leopards started off the 1944 season with a fine chance of repeating as city champions for the third consecutive season. However, little chances were shaken up when they were defeated by Sunset, 4-3. They went into a tie for first place by defeating Crozier Tech, but dropped back to second place when they were defeated by Woodrow Wilson. Winning over Sunset's Bisons 1-0 in their last game played before this printing the Leopards have three remaining games to play to decide their standing in the 1944 city title race.

Three lettermen make up the strength of the 1944 squad. They are Jack Redding, Jack Lindsey and Robert Argadine. Lindsey is a two year letterman. Both Lindsey and Argadine were selected on the mythical All-City team last season.

Probable lettermen as announced by Coach Henslee are as follows: Sam Ward, Walter McCallum, Kenneth Cason, Jack Lindsey, Robert Argadine, Jack Redding, Maurice Williams, Wilburn Hill, Wilmer Froese, James Steele, James Blair, Floyd Walker, Bobby Ramsey, Richard O'Brien and Buddy Nix, Manager.

## LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: Wilma, Francis, Bob Ramsey, Maurice Williams, Kenneth Cason, Walter McCallum, James Blair, James Steele, Wilburn Hill, Sam Ward.  
 Second Row: Frank Garrison, Jack Redding, Richard O'Brien, Jack Lindsey, Floyd Walker, Robert Argadine, Buddy Nix, Coach Henslee.  
 Third Row: James Blankenship, Archie Smith, Charles Holiday, Bobby Westmoreland, Loyayne McClure, Jack Hart, Robert Lee, Arthur Jordan, Jake Commander.



## GOLF TEAM



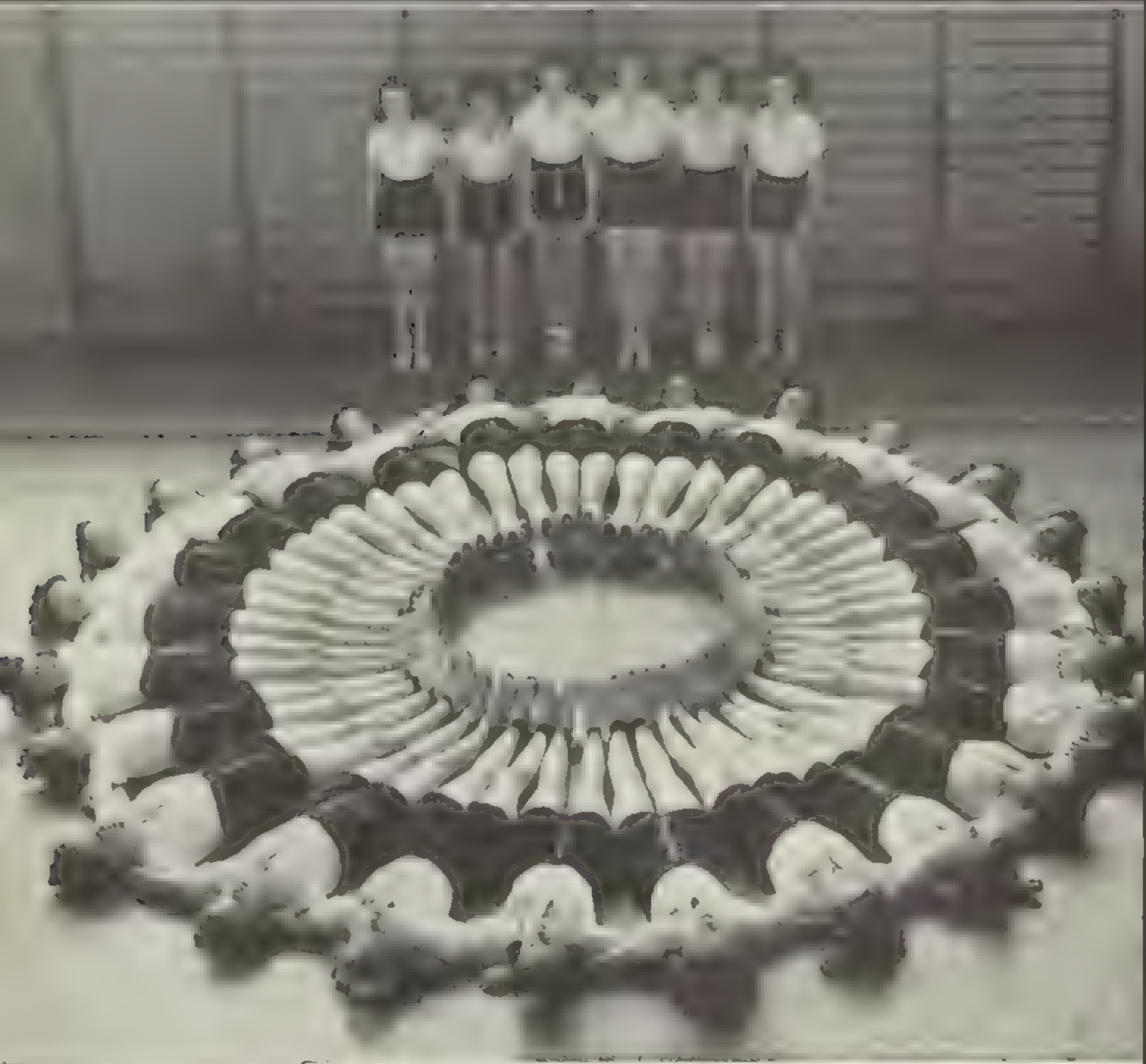
LEFT TO RIGHT  
 First Row Sidney Smart, Claude Reed, Charles Baltimore  
 Second Row Bill Broughton, Harry Glover, L. C. Leftwich, Charles Rodgers

## TENNIS TEAM



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 Patti Burke, Sondra Oster, Doris Bushey, Milton Elms, Doloris Bushey, Jack Earnest, Mr. Smith, Emmett Watson, Mary Jon Holbrook, Bobby Sue Miller

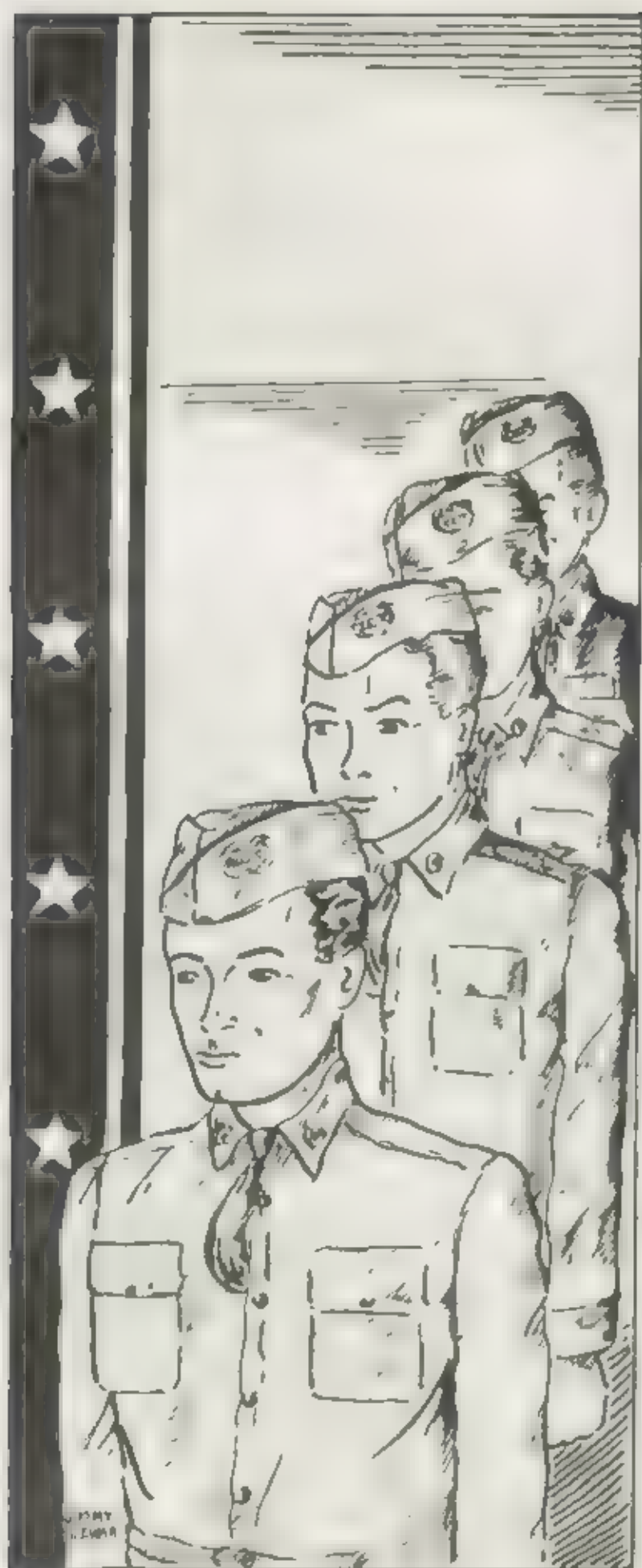




## Girls Physical Education

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In the picture are the following: Christine Furbright, Mildred Fawcett, Mildred Hoxby, Bessie Margaret Currie, Joe Lee Taber, Majorie Clark, Chasine Briggs, Bessie Kelsey, Wynona Bresson, Mary M. Williams, Roberta Colton, Georgia Ingram, Jacqueline Ditch, Jeanne Lafe, Betty Hamm, Betty Short, Marguerite Kimbrell, Barbara Payne, Helen Bellows, Betty Harris, Betty Jo Vinson, Jamie Caldwell, Wanda Jones, Dorothy Gady, Betty Lou Garman, Wilma Haynes, Juanita Presson, Betty Lou Clifton, Betty Savage, Dorothy Moon.



**MILITARY**

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LT COLONEL J W MORRIS  
*Regimental Executive Officer*

## COLORS



MAJOR JEFFREY HORNEY  
*Regimental Executive Officer*



LEFT TO RIGHT  
J. R. Tucker, Chondler Hinckley, Tom McMullen, Richard Mills



ALBERT KLASSEN  
Captain Reserve

## STAFF



DEWEY BRUMIT  
Lt. Colonel Reserve



LEFT TO RIGHT  
George Thos, Lewis Elam, J. W. Morris, Bob Stevins, Jeffrey Horsey, Dewey Brumit, John Cother, Jack Watt, Albert Klassen, Don Mitchell,  
Bobby Don Taylor, Jimmie Lester.



# RIFLE TEAM



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row Phil Jones, Billy Rankin, Tom Harper, Dewey Brumit, Elroy Archer, Edna Jo Williams, Hubert Penn, Scott Keahay, Charles Gaines, Loyd Fuller  
Second Row John Maples, Warren Cunningham, Henry Boardman, Tommy Fox, James Campbell, Jeffrey Horney, George Theis, J. W. Morris

# OFFICERS' CLUB



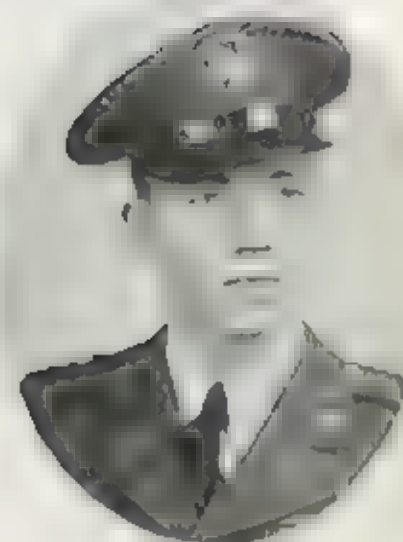
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First Row 2nd Lt. Joe Adams, 1st Lt. Wendell Russell, Lt. Col. Res. Dewey Brumit, Capt. Tommy Fox, Capt. Bobby Blavins, Capt. Elroy Archer, Sponsor Florence Harmon, 2nd Lt. James W. 2nd Lt. Richard Newton, 2nd Lt. Jack Hayes, 1st Lt. Bernhard S. Hagem, Capt. John Cother, Lt. Res. Albert Kassen, 2nd Lt. Howard Butcher, 1st Lt. Gerald Polnack  
Second Row 1st Lt. Jack W. 1st Lt. Gerald Powe, Capt. Scott Keahay, Capt. James Campbell, Capt. Charles Gaines, 1st Lt. Lawrence Jones, Major Jeffrey Horney, Capt. Alex Pearce, 1st Lt. Bob Robnett, 1st Lt. Hubert Penn, 2nd Lt. Bob O'Hara, Lt. Col. J. W. Morris

# COMPANY A

Commanding Officer

CAPTAIN ELROY ARCHER



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row: James Bryant, Wilbur Thompson, Sammy Young, B. Jones, W. Herbert Tich, Floyd Ewton  
 Second Row: Kenneth Cason, Don McCulley, Bert Allen, Elza Whitley, Glenn Ramey, Glen Flowers, James Higgins, James Wolf, Elroy Archer, Florence Harman, Hubert Penn, Tammy Fox, Richard Howard, Raymond Gelsert, C. B. McCoghen, Robert Carpenter, Forest Davis  
 Third Row: James Massengill, Bobby Behrens, Kyle Levisay, Billy Pankin, Phil Jones, J. W. Miller, James Wiseman, Lloyd Kerr, Charles Parks, Gene Walther, Glenn Coates, Don Smith, Jimmy Kerr, Homer Lawson, Harold George, Raymond Harrison, Billy Bob Seem, Hubert Bumsen, Jesse Grayam  
 Fourth Row: Virgil Wright, Milton Davenport, Arthur Leyke, John Phillips, Don King, Harold Haney, Billy Berlin, Howard Speer, Eddie Tolson, Bobby Ramsey, Dick Shaw, Jimmie King, Norman Depew, Gene Turner, Kenneth Rolliff, Charles Morris, Marvin Stark, Lawrence Spray



## COMPANY B

Commanding Officers

LEFT TO RIGHT

CAPTAIN ALEX PEARCE, fall

CAPTAIN TOMMY FOX, spring



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row George Cunyus, Edward Rhodes, James Mitchell, Billy Shaw  
 Second Row Charles Dillingham, Robert Mulvany, Gerald Sutton, Wayne Farrar, John O Neal, Billy B. Lee, Alex Pearce, Billy Jo Henry, Joe Adams, Gerald Palnock, Homer Finch, Milton Eims, Jack Davis, Sammy Pogue, J. E. Banks, Harry Bates  
 Third Row Charles England, Ross Ellis, Benny Harris, Bill Cook, James Hitt, Joe Taylor, Billy Sullivan, James Saway, Troy Berry, Deemer Bates, Clarence Reed, Howard Pollock, James Fears, Bill McCaskill, Billy Collins, Neal Mays, Billy Layfield, Jack Day  
 Fourth Row David Gault, Wendell Baggett, Charles Rippey, George C. Haney, Jack Rosser, Elmer Elkins, Asa Holleman, J. W. Thomas, Alfred Slater, Raymond Eubank, Billy Hale, John Standley, Henry Boddman, Bob Duff, Don Coke, Leslie Smith, Warren Cunningham, Mickey Wilson

# COMPANY C

## Commanding Officers

LEFT TO RIGHT

CAPTAIN JAMES CAMPBELL, *spring*

CAPTAIN CHARLES GAINES, *fall*



LEFT TO RIGHT

First Row R. D. Lance, W. C. Fain, Clifford McCaghren, Sydney Smart, DeWitt Sturdivant, George Weatherford  
 Second Row Mark Deering, Donald Clark, Rich C. ... Bob ... Charles Gaines, Louise Steeley, Richard  
 Newton, Jack Hyles, Jack Hughes, Lloyd Fuller, Dennis Smart, Charles Morton, John Wheeler, Robert Keese  
 Third Row Levy Dean, Alth ... John P. ... Edward ... William ... Billy Kemp, Robert McCee, Joe  
 Corvael, Gladden Sedberry, John Ingram, Charles Lacklear, Leslie McDonald, James Hale, Carl Younger  
 Fourth Row Jack ... William ... Myra ... James ... Billy ...  
 Jack Fulbright, Louis Brown, Arnold Gregory, Robert Hefner, George Crouch, Cecil Neef, Jack Hart, Harry Helsley





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Commanding Officers

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# I REMEMBER

By

## A SENIOR

September 13—"School days, school days, dear old golden rule days," that's what the song says. I'm not so sure, anyway, here they are and we make the best of them. Noticed some new faces among the faculty. Col. Williams has taken over the music department. Mr. George Brown from Boudre Storey is now guiding students in the field of physics. Mrs. Mary Carter and Miss Harriet Gibson are assisting Miss Graves. Then there's our new nurse, Miss Ivy, and the chairman, Miss Tynes.

September 15—Classes are gradually getting straightened out. A few frantic 4A's and puzzled freshmen still rushing around and getting nowhere. Noses have been counted and statistics reveal there are about 200 less Adamsonites this year than last.

September 16—Ho, Humm—school isn't so bad—if you're a senior.

September 20—The Pep Squad is under the command of Peggy Renner, Edith Province and Billie Stovall. Della Lou Sutton, Billie Jo Burke, Hannah Jo Pappas, Sylvia Jensen, Bobbie Dinsmore and Norma Flood add that "feminine touch" to the Blue Band.

September 23—The 4A's show their good judgment by electing capable leaders: John Young, Scott Keahney, Alleen Sullivan, Ivy Fain and Betty Lou Hix.

September 24—Student Council begins its term of work with Jack Redding, president.

September 25—Thrilling game with Forest ended in 12-0 victory for the Leopards.

September 27—Eight pretty girls appeared today wearing the official uniform of R. O. T. C. sponsors, Betty Lou Garmon, Mary Lila Glascock, Louise Steele, Pat Kelly, Jean Watson and Edna Jo Williams.

October 1—Short, peppy, Dollie Jane Woodall elected to fill vacancy of Senior Cheer Leader. Dollie will add high flavor to the cheering which is led by J. W. Morris, Barbara Johnson, Jack Davis, Milton Elms and Eleanor Wolf complete the group.

October 15—Was inspired by Col. Cohee, Chaplain of the Eighth Service Command, who challenged the high school students to be worthy of the sacrifices of the men at Bataan.

October 19—That vivacious Thespian, Pat Kelly, and that "Wanna Buy a Ticket?" man, Jimmy Swape, were chosen to lead the cast of the January class play.

October 20—Who minds rationing? We're jacking a holiday because the patriotic minded faculty will be handing flags to the 7000 soldiers on the Salisbury. The Smiths and the Joneses to the wheel and to the co-ored. That's America for you. Many nationalities, one people.

October 23—Leopards barely nosed out Woodrow Wilson 6-7. Our Band and Pep Squad put on a spectacular "between halves" performance.

November 8—Seen in hall enthusiastic young ladies exclaiming about the wonderful time they had over the week-end at the Girl Reserve Tri-city Conference.

November 10—Students and faculty had the honor of hearing Colonel Hans Adamson, survivor of the Rickenbacker expedition. Sat on edge of the seat with tense excitement while he told about his experience of being adrift in the Pacific Ocean.

November 16—Enjoyed book week Assembly given by Mrs. Horn's Public Speaking class. Miss Rachael Canton of the Oak Cliff Branch Library was our guest speaker. Nice speech.

November 20—Leopards escape finishing football race in the cellar by turning back the Lions 13-0. Yeol Leopard.

November 24—Enjoyed assembly "As America Sings," a story of our country, told by her music. Thanks to the music and public speaking departments.

November 28—Margaret Bohannon elected first Non-commissioned Officers sponsor.

December 3—Spent a merry evening seeing the very successful 4A comedy, "My Heart is in High." I shall be an actress! Maybe.

December 9—Went down town last night to do some Christmas shopping. Saw ten clowns helping the Salvation Army collect its "mile of dimes" by providing music and entertainment for the crowd. Learned this morning that they were Adamsonites—the Band boys.

December 13—Our penny parade is under way with a grand start.

December 14—Election day! Cast my vote for my favorites. Wonder whose candidates will win. Mine, I hope.

December 15—Fifteen proud upperclassmen took the pledge of the National Honor Society. Nice work.

December 17—The Christmas Cantata and pageant presented by the music and speech departments was the most impressive assembly so far this year. We were happy to learn that our penny parade netted \$200.00.

December 18—Goody! Today we begin two weeks Christmas vacation. Nearly everyone has a job to help out on the labor shortage. Think I must have one, too.

January 4—The National Honor Society began a war stamp selling campaign. Members of the society will sell stamps and bonds in first period classes on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

January 18—Senior "Acorn" issued. Everyone reading that last will and the prophecy!

January 21—The 4A's came to school "all dressed up." Assembly included one-act play, "Who Murdered Who?"

January 28—4A's finished a gay week of social activity with the most thrilling of all events—graduation.

February 1—New classes, new schedules, new teachers, new officers—and new 4A's. We're really in the lead now.

February 8—Bob Blevins, Tommy Fox, Hannah Jo Parris, were elected leaders of June 44 class.

February 15—Margaret Bohannon became the third girl in Adamson's history to be elected president of student council, Travis Pearson, vice president and Gerald Palmack, secretary.

New Acorn Staff announced today, Pat Hebert and Jean Cullum are Co-Editors.

February 20—National Honor Society war bond drive ended rather successfully—the grand total \$10,976. Am so glad to have a part in winning the war.

February 26—Attended opening of the U. S. S. Contest at the Y. W. C. A. big time, big crowd, big fun.

March 1—Congratulations to the 1944 Cager team for coming out "on top" in the Y tournament.

March 3—Brotherhood week brought closer to home with talks by three Army chaplains, Catholic, Jew and Protestant. Chaplain Raymond P. Doll, Chaplain Gail Cleland, Chaplain A. A. Steinbeck. America is so wonderful. I hope my childish prejudices are all buried and gone.

March 11—Sadie Hawkins Dance last night—many students happy but tired after evening of living.

March 15—Result of June Senior play tryouts announced. Carolyn Harris and Bob Blevins will take top honors with Dorothy Mean and Richard Newton in the supporting roles.

March 17—Saw new military sponsors today—all resplendent in white flannel and gold braid. Margaret Bohannon, Billie Stovall, Wanda Spain and Edith Province.

March 22—Three-day run of the Kiwanis Club's "Youth Comes to Town." Who'll forge the all male ballet chorus consisting of seven handsome(?) Kiwanians.

March 31—Twenty-five members elected into Honor Society. As usual, enjoyed the assembly.

April 5—We get Thursday and Friday for Easter holidays this year! Goody, goody!

April 12—Orchids should really go to Ruth Rimmer. She received another essay prize, \$10, for "Medical Science Fights at Home and Abroad." That's the third time! She won the Fred Florence scholarship for \$200 to S. M. U. for her "Thrill" essay and \$5 in war stamps for "Why the Youth Institute Was Important to Me." Why can't I do that?

April 13—Track team brought home first honors in city meet for second straight year. Pop's a great guy!

April 14—For American Day—Adamson Student Forum presented the assembly. I wish I knew all those Rag.

April 18—Great news! Adamson won the Kiwanis Literary Trophy for the first time in history of school. We placed first in boys and girls debate, boys and girls extemporaneous speech and essay.

April 20—All seniors greeting each other with "Get your class cords?"

April 25—Saw some axes in the hall again today—a soldier, a sailor, a marine, shaking hands with faculty and friends. Ribbons, stars and medals. That old Adamson spirit carries on! They seemed happy to be back. Hope they think we're doing our part, too.

April 28—The best senior play ever seen, at least so the June '44 class thought. The actors really threw themselves into the parts of "Don't Keep Him Waiting."

May 4—"Have you got your sen or day date?" "Gee, wish I had one with him!" "... Gee, I wish I had one. I would. So much I'm hard done I it?"

May 5—Hurrah for Jack Earnest. Received word that he won state in extemporaneous speaking. The debaters entered finals today. Here's hoping!

May 6—News that Girls Debate team, Ruth Rimmer and Janice Trepel, won first place in the state. Also heard that Rhea Nichols won first place in the 880-yard run in the state track meet. He was the only Dallas boy to win top honors.

May 7—Plans are being made for commencement, Baccalaureate Service, and Senior Day. It really is a wonderful feeling to know that you're a senior. Yet, it's hard to leave the good times behind.

May 8—This is good bye. The staff thanks all those who have helped us in our trials. An annual, any time, is real work but in the chaos of war, it sometimes is a terrible burden. We have had fun, though and if our fellow students like it, we are happy—So long, pals—



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of luck!  
Leon Baker

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to one of the  
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I ever went  
with.  
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Clara  
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Wishes  
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small guy load of  
Shake. more throw  
to

Goose  
I'm so glad you  
lettered because you  
surely deserved it after  
four years of hard work.  
Love Steve

Good luck baseball  
to a good and a growing  
player. Bill & Brown  
yours

a small guy  
Best of luck and  
every thing  
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Ken's  
to a really  
swell fellow,  
I wish you all  
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world.

Hubert  
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our baseball  
years together.  
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years together.  
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guy  
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swell boy  
and a good  
athlete, best  
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enjoyed knowing  
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Sincerely,  
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